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OUTLINES.

Thomas McCreary, the New horseman, who was accidentally by Congressman Heflin of Alaba is suffering from lockjaw and ma die——Following the elections in Lisbon, there was a riot that lasted for three hours; seven were shot dead and over 50 were wounded——In Virginia, revenue men captured six alleged moonshiners, smash six stills and as many more incomplete plants and destroy 5,000 gallons of beer——Samuel L. Gardner, aged 59, was jealous of Miss Dorothy Yost, aged 17, and after shooting and killing her, he committed suicide, the young girl had attended church on Sunday in company with a young man of her own age; Gardner was married——Secretary of War Taft last night made a speech at Omaha, Neb., when he criticised recent utterances of William J. Bryan regarding the administration——Samuel Gompers is principal witness before the Judiciary Committee at its hearing on the anti-trust bill——The armored cruiser Montana, sister ship of the North Carolina, made 22.26 knots on her speed trial of four hours, an excess of .26 knots over her contract requirements——Beyond forcing roll calls on the approval of the journal and on adjournment, the Democrats in the House of Representatives offered no obstruction to the orderly transaction of business. The Sterling Employers' Liability bill passed with only one vote against it. In the Senate Mr. Overman of North Carolina made a vigorous denial of newspaper reports to the effect that there was peonage in his State——The Lake Torpedo Boat Co. occupied the stage in the submarine hearing yesterday; Representative Lilley and a newspaper correspondent have a lively tilt over a question of personal veracity——The Smokeless Fuel Co., has asked the Supreme Court of the United States to intervene in the ruling of Judge Pritchard to enable it to collect pay for coal furnished the Seaboard Air Line——New York market: money on call easy, 1 1-2 to 2 per cent, ruling rate 1 3-4, closing bid 1 1-4, offered at 2, time loans dull and steady; spot cotton quiet, middling uplands 10.35, middling gulf 10.60, sales none; turpentine easy, 51; rosin easy; flour dull and easy; wheat spot easy, No. 2 red 98 elevator; corn spot steady, No. 2, 75 1-4 elevator; oats steady, mixed 55.

What is wanted in a President is quality, not quantity. Taft will never do.

Senator Davis and Representative Hefling should be transferred to the war department.

And now Representative Beall of Texas can be counted as among those in the "Great Conspiracy."

If Congress has done nothing else it has broken all records in the matter of adjourning "to pay mark of respect."

The Socialists are going to start a paper in New York on May 1. It may live until after the election and it may not.

The Hon. Jefferies Davis would do well to enter Muldoon's sanitarium. He has plenty of wind but seems to lack in courage and force.

What a queer coincidence it is that E. R. Thomas and the "angel child" should each have a double and that these doubles should elect to go to lunch together.

It never does any harm to patronize home industries. There are no reasons why the merchants of Wilmington should not receive the entire support of every man, woman and child in the city.

Those Missouri Populists not only like Mr. Bryan first rate but are trying to be like those unwise fellows of his in Minnesota. When things didn't go to suit them in the St. Louis convention they simply bolted.

With his wife toting her basket and doing her own marketing and his daughter at the throttle of a big locomotive we expect the family attracted enough attention to please even Theodore. They probably did as well as he could have done himself.

Governor John A. Johnson's Chicago headquarters are open and his campaign for the Presidential nomination is on in earnest, all in charge of his friends. In the meantime he can be found at home, right in his office, attending strictly to the affairs of his State.

The Prince of Wales is going to visit Canada this summer to attend the Champlain Tercentenary. While there, he has promised to take a run down to Boston, Mass., and when the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company gets hold of him he will think it is a champagne tercentenary.

WAS THERE MURDER?

James H. Brock, Strangled Beside Wilmington & Weldon Track,

FIVE MILES FROM THE CITY

Had Been Drinking Around Wrightsboro and Had Quarrel There—Coroner to Investigate Case Today—Remains.

Early yesterday morning at the five mile post on the Wilmington and Weldon railroad, just beyond Wrightsboro, the dead body of an unknown white man, afterwards identified as James Henry Brock, about 40 years of age and employed for some time past as foreman in logging camps of the Angola Lumber Company, in Pender county, was found lying beside the track.

It was at first thought that Brock had met his death by having been struck by a train, but later when it was learned that the man had been drinking all the day before about Wrightsboro Station and had been in an altercation with some one just before nightfall, there was a suspicion of foul play and Dr. C. D. Bell, the coroner, has summoned a jury of inquest to inquire fully into all the circumstances connected with the case.

Mr. Brock on Sunday morning in company with Mr. John Anderson left on the northbound train for Burgaw where they expected to drive out across the country to where the deceased was employed. Soon after leaving Wilmington Mr. Anderson discovered that his dog was following the train and at the first opportunity in passing out the yards, he got off and told Brock to proceed to Burgaw and he would later join him at the logging camp by the A. & Y. train. That was the last seen of the unfortunate man alive. He had been drinking to some extent and it is presumed that he got off at Wrightsboro, intending to walk back to the city. At any rate he remained about the station until about 7 o'clock in the evening when he left, going in an opposite direction of Wilmington, probably through mistake. His body was next found about a mile or so beyond Wrightsboro with a hole knocked in his head and the left hand slightly cut. The right of way gave the appearance of the body having been dragged some little distance either by the train which struck him or by some one who placed the body on the track. Dr. Bell had the body brought immediately to Wilmington on a hand car and it was taken to the funeral parlors of Mr. W. W. King, on Second street. Pursuing his inquiry as to the identity of the man, Dr. Bell found a paper on his person, giving the address of another Brock, a relative at No. 720 South Front street, and by a strange coincidence, the father of the young man, Mr. Henry Brock, of Middle Sound, happened to be in the city at the time and identified the remains of his son as they were being prepared for burial. The deceased has a wife and seven children residing at Princeton, N. C., near Goldsboro, and had been employed for some time by the Angola Lumber Co., in its timber operations. Saturday night he came to the city on business and was returning to his work in time for Monday morning when he was possessed of the strange idea of getting off at Wrightsboro. Dr. Bell has summoned a jury composed of Messrs. W. B. Sellers, A. H. Jones, Louis T. Moore, M. C. Benson, W. H. Mayo and Reuben Grant and they will meet at the City Hall today noon for the purpose of inquiring fully into the tragedy. The remains of the unfortunate man were taken by the father on the evening train yesterday to the home of the family at Princeton, N. C., for interment.

Have your eyes examined and adjusted to glasses by Dr. Vineberg, the reliable eye specialist at Mund's drug store, Masonic Temple. Eyes tested free. Spectacles or eye glasses correctly fitted to your eyes for $1.00 and up. If you don't need any glasses we will tell you so, if you do need them, we give you the right kind, satisfaction guaranteed. The doctor is here permanently and could be consulted at any time free of charge. apr 7-2t

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A. C. L.—Party Fares.
L. Gorra & Co.—Auction Sale.
W. F. Alexander—Bids Wanted.
Rhodes & Hintze—Spring Lamb.
W. H. Bowdlear & Co.—Beeswax.
Williamsville Mfg. Co.—Beeswax.
New York Herald—Easter Number.
Hartford Insurance Co.—Statement.
Academy of Music—Under the Flag.
St. John's Lodge A. F. & A. M.—Communication.

Business Locals.

St. Cecelia Guild—Sale.
L. O. Smith—Hog Strayed.
For Rent—Two Large Rooms.
J. H. Bunting Drug Co.—Parties Wanted.
Wilmington Gun Club — Annual Meeting.
Carolina Portland Cement Co.—Architects Wanted.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Regular Monthly Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon—Tax Listers Appointed—Northeast River Bridge—Routine.

The Board of County Commissioners was in regular monthly session yesterday afternoon, Chairman McEachern and all members of the Board being in attendance. The proceedings were largely routine and unimportant.

Attorney Geo. L. Peschau appeared before the Board and asked that Ammie Carter, colored, sentenced at last week's term of court to four months on the roads, be hired out. A satisfactory arrangement was made by which the county will receive $104 to be paid cash and in monthly installments in advance.

Postmaster T. E. Wallace appeared before the Board with reference to proposed changes in the course of the old Military road upon completion of the rock road, asking that the changes be not made as a greater number of residents would be served by rural delivery mail under the present arrangement.

Poll tax paid by Fred Hines was refunded, he being under age. F. M. Lewis was granted permission to peddle medicine of his own manufacture without license. Mag Brown, of Harnett township, was allowed $2.50 per month on the outdoor poor list.

The following tax listers were appointed at the same compensation as last year: T. O. Bunting, Wilmington township; J. H. Johnson, Cape Fear township; Gerritt Walker, Harnett township; B. S. Montford, Masonboro township; J. A. Biddle, Federal Point township.

The road Superintendent was authorized to make necessary repairs to bridges on the Wrightsville turnpike and the committee to make repairs on the County Home.

Eyota Tribe No. 5, I. O. R. M., was granted exemption from taxes on attractions for a Red Men's Pow Wow to be held in Wilmington Firemen's Week, June 15th to 20th, the proceeds to be used for charitable and benevolent purposes. The application was from Sachem Martin VanOesen.

Application of J. A. Biddle to have Federal Point road strawed, was referred to the committee on roads.

The chairman was authorized to arrange with a New York firm for an audit of the county's books during the Summer.

The Register of Deeds reported $31.20 revenue from marriage licenses during March. The Clerk of the Superior Court reported the collection of $82.45 in fines and forfeitures since last report. The County Superintendent reported four white and 10 colored inmates; five white and 32 colored convicts, in the County Home during March.

The Superintendent of Health reported four cases of small pox, one each of diphtheria, typhoid fever and meningitis during the month. A case of lagrippe in jail, one of nephritis in the home and two cases of fever at the convict camp constituted the acute sickness in the county institutions during the month. Ninety-seven patients were treated in the office and eight at their homes during the month. The Superintendent was questioned as to tuberculosis at the camp and stated that the conditions there were as good as could be; in fact the camp life was really a treatment for tuberculosis patients.

The B. F. Mitchell Company was awarded the contract for feeding the live stock of the county during the month at $1.05 for No. 1 Timothy hay; 68c for Golden oats; 85 cents for No. 2 mixed corn, and rice straw at 75 cents per 100 pounds.

The matter of additional files and shelves in the offices of the Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds was left with the Chairman of the Public Building Committee with power to act.

Mr. Divine made report on the plans for the Northeast river bridge, which had been referred to engineers, repesenting the county. A report from Assistant Chief Engineer T. L. Morton, of the Atlantic Coast Line, was submitted and the matter was discussed at some length upon the question of rejecting all bids previously received and calling for new proposals on other plans and specifications to be prepared by Mr. Morton for the county. The matter was continued with Mr. Divine with power to act further as to the preliminaries.

A communication from Mr. Jno. B. Quelch in regard to road improvement near Wrightsboro was referred to committee.

Bond of Road Superintendent H. Hocutt in the sum of $2,000 with the American Bonding Company of Baltimore, as surety, was accepted and approved. Road Superintendent Hocutt reported 29 cars of rock during March on the Masonboro road, having graded half a mile of the same road, this work having been done in 21 days with 18 convicts and seven carts. The remaining 13 days were worked at the quarry and on the roads in Masonboro township.

The Board adjourned subject to call of the chairman.

—Attention is called to the advertisement of St. Cecelia Guild sale at the parish house of St. James today. Tea will be served during the afternoon.

FURLONG CHAIRMAN

Organization Perfected at Meeting of Democratic County Executive Committee.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR PRIMARY

Thos. W. Davis Elected Secretary—Prohibition Declared Not an Issue in Party Election—Registrars and Pollholders.

The Democratic Executive Committee of New Hanover county, was in session for more than an hour yesterday at noon in the office of the secretary, Mr. H. E. Bonitz, on Princess street. Justice John J. Furlong was elected chairman, vice William J. Bellamy, Esq., resigned; Thos. W. Davis, Esq., was elected secretary, vice Mr. Bonitz, resigned, and all arrangements were completed for the county primaries to be held on Thursday, May 14th.

An important resolution was passed declaring prohibition not to be an issue in the primary, but the other business transacted was routine in its character. Present at the meeting were Acting Chairman Gerritt Walker, Harnett township; Capt. John Barry and Messrs. Tom Quinlivan and Fred T. Skipper, First Ward; Mr. T. W. Wood, Second Ward; Mr. H. E. Bonitz, Third Ward; Mr. T. W. Davis, who was elected from the Fourth ward in place of Mr. Bellamy; Messrs. R. B. Moore and W. W. King, Fifth ward and Mr. W. H. Shearin, Cape Fear township.

The election of Mr. Davis to the committee was unanimous upon motion of Mr. T. W. Wood and second by Mr. Bonitz. The election of a chairman was taken up and under the Democratic plan of organization, it was found that the committee could either elevate one of its own members to the position or go outside for a chairman. It was decided to do the latter and Mr. Furlong was elected by a vote of 6 to 3 over Mr. Davis, who was nominated by Mr. Wood, seconded by Mr. Bonitz. Mr. Furlong was nominated by Capt. Barry and the nomination was seconded by Mr. Skipper. Messrs. Moore, Wood and Bonitz supported Mr. Davis, the remaining members of the committee, Mr. Furlong, who was sent for and came in to preside for the remainder of the meeting.

Mr. Bonitz tendered his resignation on account of his absence from the city for so much of his time and the election of Mr. Davis was unanimous. The committee then proceeded to designate the polling places for the primary, which will be the same as for the prohibition election, and to name the registrars and pollholders as follows:

First Ward—W. McD. Evans, registrar; S. L. P. Anderson and J. W. Blomme, pollholders.

Second Ward—W. W. Hodges, registrar; E. C. Woodberry and I. W. Cooper, pollholders.

Third Ward—Capt. John D. Bowen, registrar; J. T. King and J. D. Kelley, pollholders.

Fourth Ward—Geo. C. Jackson, registrar; Jas. H. Cowan and J. McRee Hatch, pollholders.

Fifth Ward—M. C. Benson, registrar; O. J. Vann and T. G. Landen, pollholders.

Cape Fear Township—W. B. Hand, registrar; J. Herbert Johnson and R. W. Bordeaux, pollholders.

Harnett Township—Seven Mile Post, J. A. Everett, Sr., registrar; C. H. Alexander and J. R. Canaday, pollholders. Delgado precinct, J. R. Rackley, registrar; H. C. Creech and Bishop Weaver, pollholders.

Masonboro Township—D. D. George, registrar; Chas. Bishop and Frank Beardsley, pollholders.

Federal Point—F. D. Capps, registrar; Hill Williams and George Rogers, pollholders.

Upon motion the hours of the primary were made from 9 to 6 for the country precincts and from 7 to 7 o'clock in the city. The chairman and secretary were authorized to formulate the call and publish the same as required by law. Wednesday, May 20th, was decided upon as the date for the County Convention for the purpose of ratifying the action of the people as expressed at the primary.

The chairman was authorized to appoint at his leisure a central committee of five as is provided for under the Democratic plan of organization. The following resolution was unanimously adopted after the advisability of the same had been discussed at some length:

"Whereas, In accordance with an act of the General Assembly an election will be held throughout the State to vote upon the question of prohibition, which said election is not a partisan or political measure, but is to be voted upon by all parties regardless of their political affiliation, and

"Whereas, In accordance with another act of the General Assembly there is to be a Democratic primary held in the county of New Hanover on May 14th, 1908, for the purpose of nominating candidates for county officers and for members of the General Assembly and delegates to the Democratic county convention, now therefore,

"We, the Executive Committee of the County of New Hanover, do hereby declare that at this primary election the question of prohibition or no prohibition is not an issue, and is only for the selection of candidates for nomination for the various offices mentioned."

The meeting adjourned subject to call of the chairman. The election of Mr. Furlong to the leadership of the party in the county is a fine testimonial to his worth and it is safe to say that the party affairs could not have been placed in safer hands. He is a man of judgment, vigorous and with a thorough knowledge of political affairs.

NEWS OF DAY IN RALEIGH

Two English Truckers Come to North Carolina—Glenn on Prohibition Tour—The Campaign in Harnett County.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 6.—Two English immigrants just arrived in this country were today placed by the State department of Agriculture with J. A. Westbrook at Mount Olive, extensive trucker. The department has just received notice of a number of others on their way to this country, all farmers and gardeners.

Another who some months ago took advice he received not to come so far South as North Carolina and writing the department to aid him in locating in this State, being convinced that North Coralina has superior advantages.

A charter is issued for the W. H. Taylor Co., Wilson, for general mercantile business; capital $10,000 authorized and $2,000 subscribed by W. H. Taylor, B. Vance, H. O. Little and others.

Governor Glenn left this morning for Rutherfordton where he spoke in the interest of State prohibition this afternoon. Tonight he spoke at Caroline to the mill people. He goes to Lincolnton tomorrow; then to Shelby Wednesday; to Dallas Thursday and Gastonia Thursday night, returning to Raleigh so as to spend Saturday in the executive office here.

United States Senator Daniel of Virginia was the principal speaker today in the argument before Standing Master W. A. Montgomery of the United States court in the suit of United Cigarette Machine Co., vs. R. H. Wright of Durham.

W. C. West, private in Co. C., Tenth Regiment, North Carolina troops, died at the Soldiers' Home last night, aged 75 years. He came here from Newbern.

Prof. J. B. Carlyle of Wake Forest I. M. Meekins, Elizabeth City, and Rev. W. B. Spillman, of Kinston, went to Lillington, Harnett county today to make prohibition speeches in connection with the organization of the county for the prohibition campaign.

TO WED THIS MONTH.

Mr. Louis E. Hall to Claim Fair Bride at Red Springs, N. C.

Copies of the following handsomely engraved invitations were received by friends here and elsewhere on yesterday:

Mr. and Mrs. William Fitzhugh Williams request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Eleanor Nunnelee to Mr. Louis Edward Hall on the evening of Tuesday, the twenty-first of April, nineteen hundred and eight at half after seven o'clock Presbyterian Church Red Springs, North Carolina.

Mr. Hall is a well known young business man of this city and has hosts of friends who will congratulate him upon this announcement. The bride is one of Red Spring's most charming young women and will be cordially welcomed to Wilmington as Mrs. Hall.

EX-SHERIFF SUTTON DEAD.

Passed Away at His Home in Elizabethtown Saturday Morning.

Friends in the city yesterday learned with sorrow of the death of ex-Sheriff W. J. Sutton, of Bladen county, which occurred Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at his home in Elizabethtown. Mr. Sutton was 62 years of age and was a prominent Republican, having served as sheriff, representative, clerk of the Superior Court, treasurer of the North Carolina Railroad, postmaster and deputy collector. He was a veteran of the Civil War and was well known throughout the State. A widow and one son survive him and have the sympathy of many friends in this section. The son is Mr. D. B. Sutton, formerly city attorney of Wilmington, now residing at Elizabethtown.

THE AMERICAN NATIONAL.

New Wilmington Institution Approved by Comptroller.

It will be of interest to know that the comptroller of the currency in Washington Saturday approved the application of W. B. Cooper, V. Sidbury, Geo. O. Gaylord, Cuthbert Martin and A. G. Warren for the organization of The American National Bank, of Wilmington, with $100,000 capital. Mr. Cooper is succeeding beyond expectations in perfecting plans for the early opening of this new and prosperous institution, which will occupy the quarters recently vacated by the People's Bank, in The Orton building.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Last Night's Regular Monthly Meeting at City Hall Not Specially Interesting.

SOCIAL PROBLEM TO FORE

Alderman Wood Asks About Holders of U. S. Revenue Licenses—Many Department and Committee Reports.

Except for a shot at the social evil by Alderman T. W. Wood, who called attention to the presumed illegal sale of liquor at such resorts, there was little of an interesting nature at the meeting of the Board of Aldermen last night at the City Hall. The Board was in session a little over two hours transacting largely routine business and hearing the usual monthly reports.

The Board was called to order a little after 8 o'clock, all members being present except Mr. Bolles. It was noticeable that there were only three spetators, no business of public importance being scheduled to come up at the session. The minutes of preceeding meetings were read and approved. After reading the usual department reports and communications from the Board of Audit and Finance, the usual order of business was taken up with the call of standing committees:

Alderman O'Brien reported for the Finance Committee requesting the Mayor to explain the delay in advertising the city bonds for sale until they are guaranteed by a New York firm with whom correspondence has been opened. The matter was continued with the committee. The bill of Messrs. Rountree & Carr for $300 for services in connection with the water works question was ordered paid.

City Attorney Marsden Bellamy, Jr., read a contract which he had drawn for a lease of the encampment property on the Sound to Mr. Pembroke Jones at a rental of $150 per year. The contract was approved by the Board.

Chairman Ellis, of the Sanitary Committee, reported progress on the drain being laid in the southern part of the city and asked an appropriation of $1,200 to come out of the unexpended appropriation for quarantine work. A part of this is to be used in arranging for draining Macomber's ditch when the new budget is made up. The appropriation was carried.

Chairman Ellis said that he had met the North Carolina Sorosis in regard to the feature of civic improvement suggested at last meeting with a view of enlisting the aid of school children in keeping the streets clean. Mr. Ellis stated that there was $75 unexpended for trash receptacles and the committee was authorized to expend this in the purchase of other cans. Alderman King voted in the negative, stating that he believed the money could be used more advantageously otherwise.

Alderman French called attention to a pond near Third and Meares streets, which needed attention. The matter was discussed at length and the Mayor stated that the Board of Health had the matter in charge and the superintendent had been instructed to deal with the situation. The Sanitary Committee was also requested to investigate the matter to ascertain if the city is responsible for the conditions complained of. Alderman Wood also asked that the Board of Health look into sanitary conditions at the rear of the old Seaboard Air Line property.

Chairman Rathjen, of the Market Committee, recommended that J. W. Bailey be given the contract for converting the old Fourth street bridge engine house into a fish and huckster market at $179.50. The committee was authorized to expend out of existing appropriations $80 or so much thereof as is needed for a galvanized iron awning frame in front of the consolidated fire and market house at Fourth and Campbell streets, the completion of which was reported and Chairman Rathjen was felicitated upon the very great success of the formal opening exercises on Saturday.

Chairman Northrop reported the installation of seven new lights during the month. Alderman Karr also asked for a light at Ninth and Bruswick streets in addition to the one at Eighth and Brunswick. The committee was instructed to place the light asked for.

Chairman French, of the Streets and Wharves Committee, made report for that department, asking for information as to giving grades for sidewalks to property owners. Mr. French made a motion that a communication be addressed to the Board of Audit and Finance asking for a definition of their stand upon the matter of paying the cost of giving such levels. Alderman O'Brien argued for uniformity in the laying of sidewalks and said that it was necessary that the work be done according to grades given by the City Engineer. Mr. Northrop explained that the Board of Audit and Finance had refused to pay engineer's bills only where the grade had already been established by curbing. He

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THE MESSENGER SUSPENDS.

With few exceptions the readers of the Messenger were surprised at the following announcement which appeared in that paper last Sunday:

"The Jackson & Bell Co., has for some time been compelled, by reason of the publication of The Wilmington Messenger, to take from the Job Printing, Ruling and Binding Department of its business the time necessary for the proper prosecution of that work, and for that reason and in order to devote its entire time to Job Printing, Ruling and Binding work, it very reluctantly announces that the publication of 'The Wilmington Messenger' will cease with this issue. It heartily thanks the public for their strong co-operation and support and asks for a liberal share of their patronage for the Job Printing and Book Binding and Ruling branch of its business, which will be continued, and to which this Company will give, in the future, its undivided time and attention."

The suspension of the Messenger emphasizes the fact that Wilmington will not, because it cannot, support more than one morning daily. The population and business of the city are not large enough, and it will doubtless be realized now that it is better to have one good, strong paper than two of inferior grade.

About twenty years ago (in 1887, we think) the Goldsboro Messenger—for many years published as a semi-weekly in that town) was brought to Wilmington and established as a daily morning paper. Mr. Julius A. Bonitz, an all-round newspaper man of ability and experience, who had achieved marked success with his paper in Goldsboro, was made general manager. A stock company was organized; the enterprise was backed by ample capital; its list of stockholders included over one hundred of the leading citizens of Wilmington; and the paper started under the most favorable auspices.

At the expiration of two years from the date of its first issue Mr. Bonitz announced in its editorial columns that during that period the paper had sunk an average of $10,000 per year, "to which," he said, "is to be added $6,000 per year, representing its net earnings at Goldsboro."

Mr. Bonitz died in 1891, when the Messenger was sold under a deed of trust, Messrs. Jackson & Bell being the purchasers. These gentlemen are both practical printers of excellent business qualifications. They reduced expenses and under careful and prudent management the Messenger for a number of years was fairly prosperous. But the old obstacle still confronted them—Wilmington was not big enough for two morning dailies; and the Messenger not yielding sufficient profit to justify its continuance, they decided to abandon the newspaper field and give their undivided attention to their extensive job printing and book binding business.

In proof of the contention that Wilmington cannot support two morning dailies it may be of interest to mention that there is but one in each of the following cities: Richmond, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Augusta, Atlanta, Columbia, Charlotte and Raleigh.

As to the future of The Morning Star, material changes are to be made in the line of progress, and plans are now being formulated for improvements in all departments.

The Star expresses the hope that Mr. Samuel T. Ashe, whose fine work on the editorial page of the Messenger has been a feature of the paper, will soon find a position commensurate with his ability.

"MAN WHO CAN WIN."

The Governor John A Johnson headquarters in Chicago have been formally opened and his campaign for the Presidential nomination may now be said to be "well on."

They are located in the Grand Pacific hotel and Frederick B. Lynch, treasurer of the Minnesota Democratic State central committee and a close friend of Governor Johnson, is in charge.

This week several thousand letters and booklets will be mailed to the leading Democrats while in the meantime Governor Johnson will remain in his office and attend strictly to the business for which he was elected Governor of Minnesota.

Mr. Lynch says that the campaign is to be an educational one. In regard to Governor Johnson and his prospects he says:

"Although Gov. Johnson has probably been more talked of in the magazines and the newspapers of the country in the last six weeks than any other man with the exception of President Roosevelt, the people do not yet fully understand the type of man he is, and how he fits the times. I think there is much for the Democrats of the country to learn in regard to his political availability.

"What the friends of Gov. Johnson desire to do is to drive home to the Democratic leaders and the rank and file the fact that we have in Gov. Johnson a man who can win. The Democrats of this country are very tired after 12 years of defeat.

"We believe that Gov. Johnson is strong because of what he stands for and because of his personality. He is, as his record shows, as progressive and as firm a believer in reform as any political leader now in public view, but he is so careful and conservative in his methods that he accomplishes his far-reaching reforms without friction and without arousing bitter and violent opposition."

Speaker Cannon made a beautiful moral speech to the college-boy delegation that called upon him at the capital the other day, saying in his formal address which he read: "Be practical, be patriotic; have integrity; have courage. The world produces not many John the Baptists, to cry with a great voice in the wilderness. God is ever the same, but to each one He is according to our individual conception. All of our Christian views are supported, and we all operate together." Then he folded up his manuscript and as he commenced to shake hands remarked: "Boys, I'm d—d glad to see you.

THE WILMINGTON MESSENGER SUSPENDS.

(Charlotte Observer.)

The Observer greatly regrets the suspension of The Wilmington Messenger. It was a paper of high character, ability and correct thought. More papers of its kind are needed in North Carolina and it will be missed. It has been edited for several years, with fine judgment, by Mr. Samuel T. Ashe, whose pen we trust will not long be idle. We feel much sympathy for our friends, Messrs. Jackson & Bell, the proprietors, who must have surrendered with a pang. The Messenger, then a prosperous semi-weekly, was moved about twenty years ago from Goldsboro to Wilmington by its proprietor, Mr. Julius A. Bonitz, and established there as a daily. It lost money heavily and work and worry soon killed him. The property then passed to Messrs. Jackson & Bell, practical printers, who were conducting a job office, as they are still, and its financial condition improved. Lately, however, its balance has been on the wrong side of the ledger and it has been living from the job office. The end of this condition was inevitable.

The Messenger's trouble was that there is not room in Wilmington for two morning papers and The Morning Star, the oldest daily in the State, out-weathered its younger rival. The field for even one is not extensive—on the east the ocean, the South Carolina line near by to the south and contact and competition with other papers near at hand to the north. The territory of a Wilmington morning daily is therefore little more than local. The Messenger's suspension leaves the city with two daily papers, The Morning Star and The Evening Dispatch. We hope the removal of the competition will make conditions better for them but are very sorry indeed that we are to see The Messenger no more.

A COUPLE OF LYNCHINGS.

Negro in Alabama and Another in Mississippi Dealt With.

Mobile, Ala., April 5.—Walter Clayton, a negro who was serving time at the stockade of the Hand Lumber Company for manslaughter, late Saturday afternoon criminally assaulted Mrs. Joseph White, aged 20 years, and was lynched by a mob of 75 men outside the limits of Bay Minette last night.

Murdered a Small Boy.

Wesson, Miss., April 5.—John Burr, a young negro, was lynched near here today by about 30 men for the murder of a 12-year-old white boy.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Speaker Cannon lays down the dictum that reformers "never get anywhere." Certain it is that they have never got control of the Republican party, though it sadly needs reformation.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

—Colonel Ashley Horne, of Clayton, one of the three Democratic candidates for the nomination for Governor will arrive in the city Thursday to spend several weeks here. He will make his home with his nephew, Mr. Clarence O. Kuester, on North College street. Colonel Horne will make this his headquarters and for a fortnight or more will make his campaign from this point. His friends say that he has some surprises in store, equally as unexpected as the Stanly county vote Saturday.—Charlotte Observer.

—Democratic primaries were held in three counties yesterday and it was a good day for Mr. Craig. It was to have been expected that Buncombe, his own county, would give him a solid vote. His sweep in Iredell was almost as complete, the adverse vote being surprisingly small. But the real surprise of the day was in Stanly where Mr. Horne showed up unexpectedly strong and Mr. Kitchin amazingly weak. Craig and Horne divided the county nearly equally though Horne had a majority of five over both. The primary and convention season 's thus formally opened and politics will gradually increase in interest from this time until the State convention. Polk and Yancey will hold their conventions tomorrow, neither county having the primary system.—Charlotte Observer.

TWINKLINGS.

—Just a Little.—"How about that young feller downstairs?" "He's got as far as the hatrack, pa." "Well, that's going some."—Kansas City Journal.

—Serve Him Right.—Mr. Woody—Music is a most fascinating study. Do you know, I'd like to sing, awfully. Miss Blunt (who had heard him)—Oh you do.—Boston Transcript.

—Like the Leopard Changes His Spots.—Duer—I tell you what, old man, this question of rent makes me hustle. Short—Yes, it keeps me moving, too.

—Lead Us Not Into Temptation.—Hubby—Well, dear, and did you get the stove we needed at the auction sale? Wifey—No, they hand't any stoves, but I got a nice refrigerator real cheap.—Ex.

—Important Thing to Know.—Professor (examining medical student)—If you were called out to a patient what is the first question you would ask? Medical Student—Where he lives!—Philadelphia Inquirer.

—"Gailey seems happy tonight. He must have money." "Why do you think that?" "From the way he's cracking jokes." "Nonsense. If he had money he wouldn't be happy unless he was cracking bottles."—Catholic Standard and Times.

—The Blessing of It.—"George!" whispered Mrs. Krotchett, in the dead of night, "I'm sure there's a burglar down in the dining room." "Good!" replied her husband, sleepily, "if we keep quiet maybe he'll take away that chafin dish of yours."—Philadelphia Press.

—Full for Once.—"Say," asked Weary Willie. "did yed ever lose your appetite?" "I did oncet," replied Hungry Hawkes. "One day a kind lady gev me a square meal an' for ten or fifteen minutes after it I didn't care for food at all."—Philadelphia Press.

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After treating for Eczema with six different doctors, Mrs. J. A. Wheeler, of Wellington, Ohio, was completely cured by pure vegetable oil of wintergreen. This oil alone could not cure, but she used this oil as compounded with glycerine, etc., in D. D. D. Prescription.

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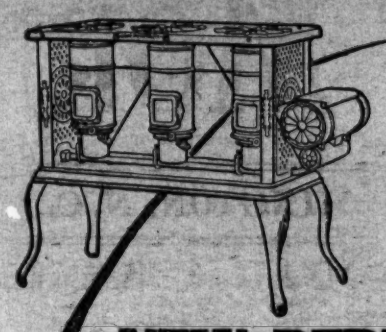

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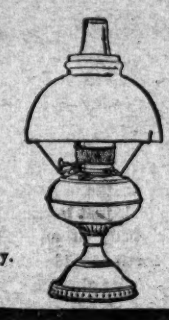

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RECEIVER'S SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, the undersigned Receiver will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, in the town of Whiteville, North Carolina, on the 1st day of May, 1908, at twelve o'clock M., one saw mill complete, consisting of boilers, engines, belting, gear, fixtures, attachments and all other things and property of every kind and description used in operating said saw mill including dry kilns, piping, electric lighting plant, and all buildings, sheds and shops located on certain land at Wananish, N. C., leased by Henry Powell and wife to S. P. Taylor and conveyed by S. P. Taylor to W. T. Sears and S. M. Lloyd, and registered in Book A. I, page 497 of the records of Columbus County. Also one 15 ton locomotive, 8 new logging carts, 2 old logging carts, 7 1-2 miles of 25 pound section new steel rails, with all tools, supplies, spikes, cross-ties and all vehicles, wagons, machinery, tools and implements used in operating and carrying on the saw mill business at Wananish in said County of Columbus. Also all timber and trees, rights and privileges set forth in a certain deed executed by S. P. Taylor to W. T. Sears and S. M. Lloyd registered in Book B. I, page 223 of the records of Columbus County, containing timber on ten separate tracts of land, some of which has been cut over. Also the lease hold interest of W. T. Sears & Co., in the tract of land on which the said mill is located, containing about five acres. Said sale to be for cash and subject to the confirmation of the Court. At the same time and place will be sold 2040 logs more or less cut and lying in the woods in the vicinity of said mill and 591 logs at the mill.

This 30th day of March, 1908.
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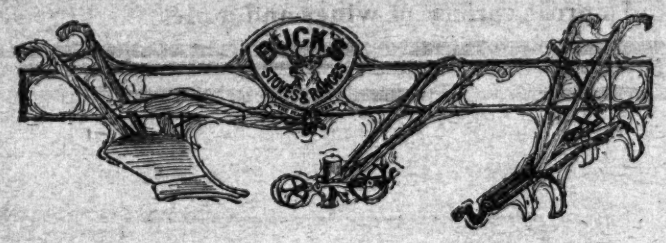

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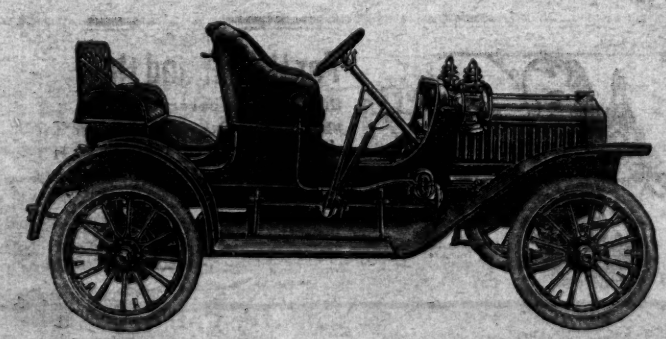

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STATEMENTS NOT SUBSTANTIATED.

In the last issue of the "Messenger" is an article purporting to give the prohibition situation in Knoxville, Tenn., and Atlanta, Ga. The alleged information was obtained from the Chattanooga Times, a saloon paper and is entirely without foundation, both as to the sale of liquor and the effect on business. The "Chattanooga Times" itself from which the item in the "Messenger" comes refers to Knoxville as a nearly dry town.

Mr. W. P. Chanler, Knoxville's Chief of Police, writes under date of February 14th, that the article referred to is too inaccurate to be anything but amusing. He says: "Had the writer only come to my office I could have given him some facts that would have prevented him making several serious errors. I would gladly have given him the information and shown him the records of the Police Judge. In the first place I noticed he said that when the saloons went out the proprietors simply changed the name saloon to soft drink stand and kept right on.

"In the next column, deploring the terrible business disaster, he says that when saloons went out there were "For Rent" signs hung out on 112 houses. I don't see how this could be so when the soft drink stands were so busy. As a matter of fact neither is correct. I know of two houses where saloons were located that are now renting at higher figures than when saloons were here. There are not three empty business houses in this city today."

On February 15th "The Manufacturer's Record" of Baltimore, says Knoxville was the fourth city from the top in building operations during January, building permits aggregating $75,570 were issued in that month.

Quoting Chief Chanler again he says "Again the writer in the 'Times' article says that on Gay street from the Southern Road to the river there are a large number of soft drink stands. Why didn't he count them or ask someone to tell him the facts that there are only three? He says again that liquor can be secured at these places. Why didn't he try to get some?

"Simply by asking I would gladly have given him these figures on arrests:

"Arrests November, December, January—Wet, 1,045.

"Arrests November, December, January—Dry, 594.

"On the books of the City Comptroller just across the hall he could have learned that Knoxville never in any one year received over $22,000 as liquor license and this with ad valorem did not bring it up to $25,000. He used the figures several times as being $60,000 loss of revenue. Any third grade boy in the Knoxville City schools could tell you that 112 saloons at $200 a year did not produce $60,000 revenue to the city."

Now we have the signed statement of Chief of Police Chanler and other prominent men which proves the article in the "Messenger" to be a mass of falsehoods. We also have a signed letter from Mr. Henry Jennings, Chief of Police of Atlanta, Ga., saying that since prohibition went into effect there has been a reduction in the number of arrests about one-half. We have a letter from Mr. F. I. Seely, publisher of "The Atlanta Georgian and News" saying, "Prohibition has not hurt business."

"Real estate values are as high or higher and nearly all places formerly occupied by saloons are rented, most of them at higher rents than were received by them before. Our two largest distillery stores, those of Rose & Blumenthal and Beckert have been rented at increased rents, and being rented by a clothing store and the other by an office furnishing establishment." The New York Herald says on March 29th, "Atlanta, chief city of the State has but little trouble with liquor. Nothing worth recording has gone out from that place that marks it distinctly from other cities of the State. The spirit of the inhabitants make it still one of the greatest cities of the country, liquor or no liquor."

On March 1st, the Washington Post correspondent in Atlanta, says, "Georgia is more orderly since the advent of prohibition and crime has been reduced fully two-thirds since January 1st. The women and children of Georgia are today safer from attack than ever before in the history of the State."

Now we think that this is enough to prove to any unbiased person that the saloon people, not having the truth on their side have resorted to deception.

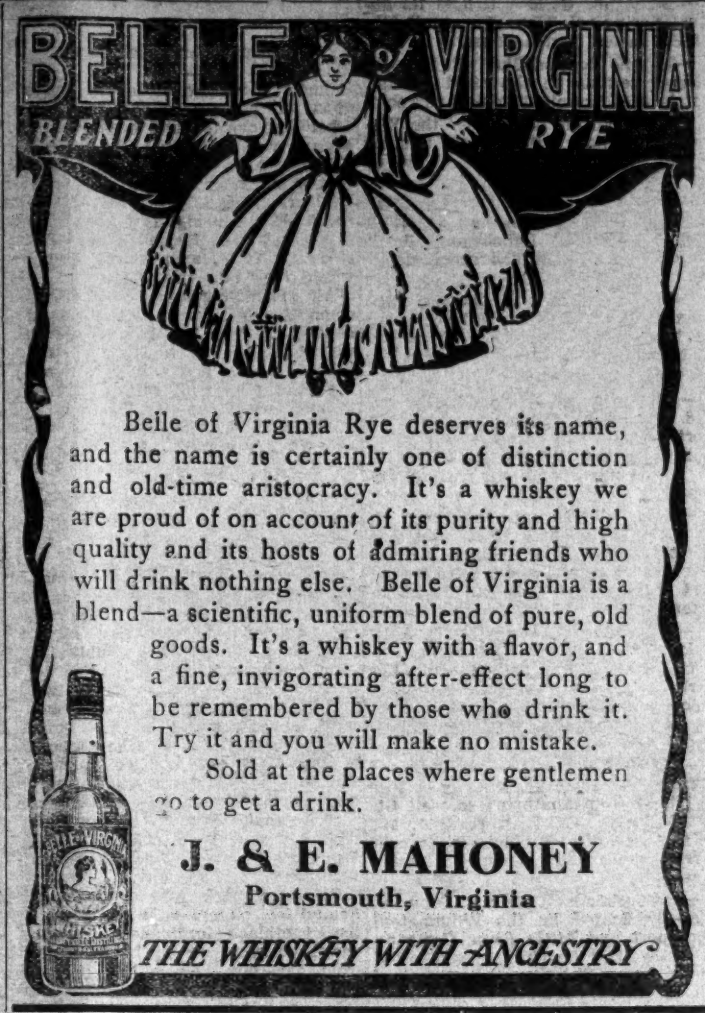
They are eternally claiming that more liquor is sold in prohibition territory than in saloon territory. Then why are they spending so much money to defeat prohibition?

We prove that less drunkenness exists under prohibition, which proves that less liquor is sold. Now get your court records and prove different. We defy you to do so.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE.

—Spencer, April 3.—Captain D. N Bennett, a well known citizen of Norwood, last night caught a fish in the Yadkin river near that place which weighed 34 pounds. The fish, which was one of the largest ever caught in this part of the State, was of the German carp variety and when cleaned a full grown wild duck was found in its stomach, which had apparently been swallowed alive but a few minutes before the fish was taken. The duck was brought to Spencer by Captain Ed M. Patterson, conductor an the Norwood branch of the Southern, and will furnish a fine meal for his family.

—Greenville, April 5.—E. A. Kline, a railroad contractor here, has filed lien for $100,340 on the property of the Norfolk and Southern Railway Company, and brought suit for that amount, jointly, against the railroad company, J. G. White & Co., and Johnson & Grommett Bros., under whom he had contracts for the construction of this division of the Norfolk Southern road.



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Lot No. 1 Contains Fancy 36-inch Taffeta in all colors, fancy stripes, pin checks, broken plaits, etc. These were marked for $1.25 to $1.50 a yard. Our price will be per yard **75c**

Lot No. 2 Contains a heavy fancy Taffeta Silk, 27 inches wide made to retail for $1.00 and $1.25 a yard. The assortment contains a large variety of patterns. Our price for the Silk Sale will be, per yard **65c**

Lot No. 3 Contains a lot of Fancy Taffeta Silk, 19 inches wide in plaids, checks and fancy weaves, were made to retail for 75 cents. Our price for this Silk Sale will be per yard **35c**

STYLISH SPRING HATS.

Are to be seen and they are veritable creations of the Artist Milliner. Pretty hats with all the grace and dash that our artists can put into them are ready for you to inspect. If you wear a hat from Polvogt's you need not feel ashamed.

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TO THE BEACH
Suburban Schedule

(In effect Wednesday, Jan. 8th, 1908.)
Daily except Sunday.
LEAVE.

Wilmington East Bound	Wrightsville Westbound	Wrightsville Beach Westbound
7:00 A. M.	6:25 A. M.	
8:30 A. M.	7:55 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	9:00 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	10:55 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	12:25 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
3:00 P. M.	1:55 P. M.	3:45 P. M.
4:30 P. M.	3:55 P. M.	5:15 P. M.
6:15 P. M.	5:25 P. M.	7:15 P. M.
8:00 P. M.	7:25 P. M.	9:15 P. M.
10:00 P. M.	9:25 P. M.	
	10.30 P. M.	

Sunday Schedule.
LEAVE.

Wilmington East Bound	Wrightsville Westbound	Wrightsville Beach Westbound
9:00 A. M.	9:55 A. M.	9:45 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	10:55 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	12:25 P. M.	12:15 A. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:55 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
2:30 P. M.	3:25 P. M.	3:15 P. M.
3:00 P. M.	3:55 P. M.	3:45 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	4:25 P. M.	4:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	4:55 P. M.	4:45 P. M.
4:30 P. M.	5:25 P. M.	5:15 P. M.
5:00 P. M.	5:55 P. M.	5:45 P. M.
5:30 P. M.	6:25 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
6:15 P. M.	7:25 P. M.	7:15 P. M.
8:00 P. M.	9:25 P. M.	9:15 P. M.
10:00 P. M.	10:30 P. M.	

Freight Schedule.
Leave Wilmington 4:00 P. M. (Daily except Sunday).
Freight received at 9th and Orange streets from 3:00 to 4:00 P. M.

CAROLINA PLACE SCHEDULE.—Cars will be operated between Front and Princess streets and Seventeenth and Market every 20 minutes. Leaving Front and Princess from 6:50 A. M. until 9:50 P. M.

Leaving 17th and Market from 7:06 A. M. until 10:00 P. M. All suburban cars will make regular stops at Delgado.

CAROLINA PLACE SCHEDULE.
(Sundays.

Leave Front and Princess streets every 20 minutes from 8:30 A. M. until 9:50 P. M.

Leave Seventeenth and Market streets every 20 minutes from 8:40 A. M. until 10:00 P. M.

Delgado and the Golf Links.

On the trips leaving corner of Front and Princess streets at 2:30, 3:30, 5:10 and 7:10 P. M. daily except Sunday, the Carolina Place car will be run to the Golf Links. Sundays 9:30 A. M.

Leave Golf Links daily, except Sunday, at 2:40, 3:40, 5:20, 7:20 P. M. Sundays 9:40 A. M.

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WHY?
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WHOLESALE GROCER.

The Morning Star.

Tuesday, April 7, 1908.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.
Tuesday, April 7, 1908.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Monday, April 6th: Temperature at 8 A. M., 63 degrees; 8 P. M. 64 degrees; maximum 75 degrees; minimum 63 degrees; mean 69 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .18; rainfall for the month, .18.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Monday, at 8 A. M. 12 feet.

For North Carolina—Fair Tuesday; Wednesday partly cloudy or rain in west portion; light to fresh south winds.

Port Calendar.—April 7.

Sun Rises.....5:38 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:27 P. M.
Day's Length.....12 hrs. 44 min
High water at Southport 12:22 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 2:52 A. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Casper Smith, of Lumberton, spent Sunday in the city and was registered at The Orton.

—Messrs. John F. French and J. H. Morrison, of Lumberton, were among the guests at The Orton Sunday.

—Mr. John T. Patrick, of Wadesboro formerly Land and Industrial Agent of the Seaboard Air Line, was among the guests at The Orton Sunday.

—Mr. Joseph S. Mitchell, now in the offices of Messrs. Willcox & Willcox, division counsel of the Atlantic Coast Line at Florence, S. C., is in the city to spend a day or two with friends and at his old home.

—Col. Walker Taylor returned yesterday from Atlantic City, N. J., where he attended an important meeting of insurance company managers in regard to the commission business. The other members of the committee from this State was Mr. A. H. Dangerfield, of Winston-Salem.

SUPERIOR COURT SESSION.

Engaged All Day Yesterday With Selection of Jury in Smith Case.

Superior Court was engaged all day yesterday in the selection of a jury to try the issues involved in the case of Miss Louisa B. Smith against Mrs. Susan E. Moore, Ex., and others with which the public is familiar. When a recess for the day was taken the panel had not been completed and an additional number of veniremen was summoned for today. It is hardly probable that a jury satisfactory to both sides will be obtained before about noon today. Messrs. John D. Bellamy & Son and ex-Judge E. K. Bryan appear for the plaintiff while the defendants are represented by Messrs. Herbert McClammy, Rountree & Carr and Bellamy. Only seven men were in the box when court took a recess for the day and not all of these have been accepted by both sides. They are as follows: J. B. Coley, B. Solomon, P. L. Page, I. H. Hobbs, C. R. Davis, C. L. Spencer, H. C. Hamlin, R. C. Platt, T. D. Love, W. C. Peterson and J. A. Munn.

The only other record of the court yesterday was continuance of the cases of Z. P. Rowe against Pittsburg Lumber Company and F. B. Ullory against W. A. Guthrie, involving title to some island property down the river.

CAPTAIN E. W. KERR DEAD.

Summons Came as He Stood in Waiting Room at the Station.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Clinton, N. C., April 6.—Captain Edwin W. Kerr died suddenly here this morning in the station of the Atlantic Coast Line while purchasing a ticket to Burgaw where he had an appointment to make a speech for prohibition. He was aged 64 and was a leading citizen of Sampson county which he had represented in the State Senate for several terms. He was a prominent lawyer and excellent citizen. He was educated at Davidson College and read law under the late Senator Vance. At the breaking out of the war he volunteered his services to his country and was a gallant soldier throughout the struggle. He leaves a widow, three sons, and one daughter. Apoplexy was the cause of his death and the summons came without warning. The funeral will be tomorrow from the Presbyterian church of which the deceased was a member.

JUVENILE BASEBALL

Junior Monarchs and Imperials Played Interesting Game Yesterday.

The Monarch Juniors and Imperials, crack juvenile teams, played an interesting game yesterday afternoon at Hilton Park, the Monarch Juniors being the victors in a score of 4 to 1. The line-up of the teams was as follows:

Imperials.		Monarchs.
Sprunt, W.	c	Bell, E.
George Clark	p	Davis, G.
Strange, R.	1b	Peterson
Carmichael	2b	Taylor
Pulliam	3b	LaMoyne
Emerson	ss	Lord
Hardin	lf	Parsley
Lynch	cf	Davis, R.
Orr	rf	Strange, T.

The feature of the game was Davis' pitching. He retired 14 men by the atmosphere route. Clark also pitched a steady game, retiring five men with strike-outs

Neighborhood Favorite.

Mrs. E. D. Charles, of Harbor, Maine speaking of Electric Bitters, says: "It is a neighborhood favorite here with us." It deserves to be a favorite everywhere. It gives quick relief in dyspepsia, liver complaint, kidney derangement, malnutrition, nervousness, weakness and general debility. Its action on the blood, as a thorough purifier makes it especially useful as a spring medicine. This grand alterative tonic is sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c.

LOCAL DOTS.

—St. Agnes Guild will hold its annual Spring sale Thursday, April 9th, at St. James' parish house.

—L'Agile Cotillon Club will have its Easter german on the night of May 1st in the Masonic Temple ball room.

—The monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the Y. M. C. A. parlors.

—The Y. M. C. A. Directors will meet at 1 P. M. today and solicitors will be elected. Luncheon will be served and a full attendance is desired.

—The British steamer Acacia, 1,848 tons, Capt. Thomas, arrived yesterday to Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son and will receive cargo of cotton for Liverpool and Bremen.

—The schooner William Linthicum, 148 tons, Capt. Hitchens, arrived in port Sunday with cargo of acid phosphate for the Wilmington Compress & Warehouse Company from Baltimore.

—Campbell Encampment No. 1, I. O. O. F., last night exalted eight candidates to the Royal Purple degree, after which refreshments were served and a jolly good time had by all in attendance.

—A prominent member of the Anti-Saloon League sends the following announcement: "On account of the early primaries, each candidate for office will be interviewed as to how he stands on the prohibition question."

—Members of Pythagoras lodge of Masons will come up today on a special boat from Southport to visit St. John's Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M., of this city. They will assist in conferring the sublime degree of Master Mason.

—The schooner Cassie F. Bronson, recently floated by the Wilmington, Southport and Little River Company at Little River Beach, has been towed to the Ocean Fisheries down the river where she has been docked until some disposition of her is made.

—Rev. Dr. S. Mendelsohn, representative from Cornelius Harnett Council; Mr. W. J. Meredith, representative from Carolina Council, and Grand Vice Regent H. E. Bonitz will leave this morning for Winston-Salem to attend the Grand Council sessions which will begin on Wednesday and continue two days.

—The grocery store of Mr. R. A. Montgomery, Eighth and Princess, was entered before day Sunday morning through a side entrance on Eighth street, but so far as Mr. Montgomery could tell, nothing of value was stolen. It was also reported that the pantry of Mr. W. F. Alexander was also robbed the same night, a quantity of provisions having been stolen.

THE LEAGUE SCHEDULE.

Games Arranged at Raleigh Last Night —Special Arrangements.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 6.—The Executive Committee of the East Carolina Baseball League tonight adopted a schedule of sixty games for the season from June to August 14th. The opening games are Wilson at Raleigh; Wilmington at Goldsboro; Kinston at Newbern. For July 4th there will be morning and afternoon games: morning, Raleigh at Wilson; Newbern at Kinston; Goldsboro at Wilmington. Afternoon games, Goldsboro at Wilmington; Wilson at Raleigh, and Kinston at Newbern.

For the Firemen's tournament at Wilmington June 15th to 17th Kinston will play Wilmington; June 18th to 20 Raleigh will play Wilmington. The session closes August 14th with Raleigh at Wilson, Goldsboro at Wilmington, Newbern at Kinston. Participating in the meeting here were President T. M. Washington, Wilson; Secretary C. H. Gattis, Raleigh; H. E. King, Goldsboro; T. M. A. Fulgham, Wilson, and T. C. Daniel, Newbern.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers appear from deeds filed for record yesterday: Geo. C. Jackson to Ida M. Jackson, for $10 and other consideration, property on south side of Nun, 123 3-4 feet east of Fifth street, 41 1-4 by 66 feet in size, and on south side of Lot No. 1 in Block 104, 60x66 feet in size. John D. Bellamy, Jr., Jr., to W. J. H. Bellamy and John D. Bellamy, for $10 and other considerations, property on north side of Church, 110 feet east of Fifth street, 33x66 feet in size. Edmond A. Kerr to Ella Dora Kerr, for $1 and other considerations, 55 acres of land in Cape Fear township on the Gordon main road.

Death of Mr. Edward Futch.

Friends will regret to know of the death of Mr. Edward L. Futch, 18 years of age, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Futch, No. 601 Swann street. Mr. Futch passed away at 6 o'clock Sunday evening after a brief illness with pneumonia. He is survived by his parents, two brothers and two sisters. The remains were taken to Pike Creek Church, Pender county, yesterday morning and laid to rest in the cemetery there.

Republican Congressional Convention.

The Republican Congressional convention of the Sixth District has been called to meet at Wilmington, Saturday, April 25th. The Cumberland county convention met Saturday at Fayetteville and appointed delegates to the convention here and Brunswick will hold her county convention at Lockwoods Folly on Thursday of this week. The Cumberland Republicans endorsed Roosevelt and Taft unanimously and there were but two protests to an endorsement of State Chairman Adams.

Recovers Stolen Horse.

The horse stolen Friday night from Mayor Springer's farm in East Wilmington was recovered late Saturday night about 40 miles from Wilmington in Onslow county. The horse had been turned loose by the thief after completing his journey and was not maltreated, having been returned to the city Sunday by Messrs. Jordan Branch and Tom Simmons, who had gone to look for the animal.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

(Continued from first page.)

thought there would be no trouble about the payment of bills by the city where no curbing had been laid. Mr. French was instructed to see the Board of Audit and Finance in regard to the matter.

Alderman O'Brien called attention to an old and unsightly fence on Hanover, between Second and Third streets. The Mayor stated that he would look into the matter.

Alderman French reported what the committee had done in regard to the conditions complained of at Eighth and Brunswick streets, stating that the railroad people had agreed to remedy the conditions with certain drainage to be done by the city.

Alderman Northrop asked, what had been done in regard to the street signs Mr. French stated that the signs had arrived and the problem was to get them up. The Mayor asked Alderman O'Brien to assist with this work, as he was a prime mover in this great improvement.

The Board authorized the closing of Fifth street, from Castle to Orange, for the firemen's tournament races in June.

Chairman Jewell, of the Public Building Committee, reported that he hoped to get to work on the sidewalk around the City Hall within the next week or ten days.

The Board instructed the chairman of the Market Committee to notify fish dealers that the agreement as to sale of shad when the spaces were rented would have to be complied with. It was also decided not to allow the sale of fresh fish in the private markets of the city.

Chairman King, of the Ordinance Committee, offered an amendment to the bootblack ordinance including newsboys who are to be prohibited from hawking their wares on the porches of hotels and making themselves a nuisance on the sidewalk in front of public places. Upon motion the ordinance was laid on the table on the ground that there is already an ordinance against nuisances and proprietors of hotels have power to keep boys off the porches.

Alderman Wood presented a list of holders of U. S. liquor license in Wilmington stating that there were eight females appearing on the list and he thought the matter should be looked into. He said that if the conditions complained of were not investigated by the City, it would be taken up by the grand jury. Alderman Wood asked the City Attorney for an opinion on whether or not the possession of United States license was not prima facie evidence of the sale of liquor. The City Attorney stated that he had examined the law and knew that the possession of United States license would be prima facie evidence in territory where the sale of liquor is prohibited by law, but he was doubtful if the law would apply where the sale of liquor is not prohibited by law. However, he said that he believed the possession of these license would be a circumstance with other evidence to show the guilt of defendants.

Alderman Wood said that it was common knowledge that liquor was being sold in the speak-easy district of the city and something should be done. The Mayor agreed with Mr. Wood but pressed him for names. This produced a very embarrassing situation for Mr. Wood, but he said he would endeavor to get the names. No action was taken.

Alderman Ellis called attention to the nuisance of the hacks at the Atlantic Coast Line passenger shed and asked that the police endeavor to remedy the situation. Several members stated that the trouble was not with the hacks, who were there for the public convenience, but with the size of the so-called "Union Station," which was at most a mere makeshift. However, the Mayor stated that he would have the matter looked into.

A resolution was presented by Mr. O'Brien endorsing the programme of the North Carolina Peace Society and authorizing the Mayor to appoint delegates to the forthcoming Peace Congress to be held at some point in the State. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. T. O. Bunting was elected tax lister for the current year.

Application of M. M. Moore for position of health officer was read and referred to Sanitary Committee.

Eyota Tribe of Red Men was granted permission to hold a pow-wow or street fair during the firemen's tournament at 17th and Market streets. The action was unanimous.

A communication was read from Commissioner H. C. McQueen, of the Sinking Fund, transmitting a detailed statement of the fund for the past year. The chairman in his letter states that he saw in the press report of the proceedings of the Board of Aldermen of March 2nd that a resolution was offered calling for a fuller report of the Sinking Fund for the past six months. Notwithstanding the fact that the resolution was voted down, the chairman stated that he took pleasure in sending a detailed statement of the fund for the past year, with a certificate from the Clerk of the Board of Audit and Finance, giving a description of city bonds on hand and the place of deposit. If any further information is desired by the Board, or any member of the Board, Mr. McQueen says he will be glad to furnish it. As the sinking fund has increased since his present bond was executed, he has been ready at any time to increase the latter to any amount the Board indicates.

The statement is in detail and is too lengthy for publication. Alderman O'Brien said that the report was very gratifying and gave much information that he thought the Aldermen should know. He appreciated the courtesy of Mr. McQueen in making the report. Upon motion, Mr. McQueen was requested to renew his bond in the sum of $5,000, the present amount of his surety.

Departmental Reports.

The usual reports of departments were read and approved as follows:

The Chief of Police reported 154 arrests during March, 44 of the defendants being white and 110 colored. Four teen were sent to the roads and 31 to the farm, for an aggregate of 1,350 days. Thirty-nine cases went to the Superior Court under aggregate bonds of $1,625 and $120.35 was paid into the city treasury and $100.30 into the county treasury in fines and forfeitures from the Mayor's court.

The Superintendent of Health reported 49 deaths during March, 20 white and 29 colored; 35 births, 11 white and 24 colored. Health officers made 4,427 inspections and issued 585 lime and acid orders. One case of diphtheria and 4 of smallpox were quarantined during the month. It was reported that on March 3rd Chief Health Officer Shepard neglected to report for duty and after inquiry, it was found that he had left the city.

Health Officer Hewlett was promoted to succeed him and Mr. Sam Lynch, was elected vice Mr. Hewlett, this having been confirmed by the Board.

City Clerk and Treasurer Fowler reported a balance of $3,473.41 March 1st and collections of $40,938.79 during the month, making a grand total of $44,412.20. The disbursements were $19,174.57, leaving a balance of $25,237.63 to April account. Of this amount $16,598.40 was deposited with the Murchison National Bank and $8,639.23 was in cash and cash items. Since the first of the month more than $8,000 additional has been collected.

The Chief of the Fire Department reported 5 alarms during the month and a property loss not exceeding $100.

SEVERE FOREST FIRE.

Much Damage Done Around Lumberton Sunday Afternoon.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Lumberton, N. C., April 6.—Fire broke out in the woods about five miles southwest of here yesterday afternoon, burning over about 400 acres of wood land, destroying much timber and 400 cords of wood. The wind was blowing almost a gale and it was only by heroic efforts that several houses were saved. No estimate of the loss has been ascertained.

Marie LaTour Stock Company.

The Marie LaTour Stock Company opened last night at the Academy of Music what promises to be a very successful week's engagement, presenting "The Fatal Scar" and giving fine satisfaction. Tonight will be seen the company's feature bill, "Under the American Flag." The Company is a first-class one and is declared by many the best popular priced show seen here this season.

Wilmington Gun Club.

The Wilmington Gun Club will hold its annual meeting tonight at which time they will decide on the date for the State tournament, also consider changing location of the traps. Messrs. Charles H. Knight and Mr. Harold Money, of the Winchester Arms Company, the latter one of the best shots in the United States, will be here Friday and Saturday to visit the local club.

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The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malia and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

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THE SUBMARINE HEARING

Lake Torpedo Boat Co. Occupied the Stage—Representative Lilley and a Newspaper Correspondent Have Lively Tilt.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Washington, April 6.—The Lake Torepdo Boat Company occupied the stage today in the investigation of charges against the Electric Boat Company being conducted by the special House committee. Robert G. Skerrett, of New York, who formerly was in the employment of the Lake Company, as its foreign representative, was put through a searching examination as to certain articles he had written for magazines and newspapers on the subject of submarines. It was the evident purpose of the committee to show that he had written the articles with a view of creating favorable sentiment for the Lake company, but he denied this. He was still on the stand when the committee adjourned for the day.

The morning session was enlivened by a passage at arms between Representative Lilley and R. W. Wooley, a Washington newspaper correspondent, over a question of personal veracity.

Representative Loud, of Michigan, denied the statement of State Senator Frank Edenborough, of Michigan, to the effect that Loud was annoyed because W. G. Gordon, a representative of the Electric Boat Company was "bearing down" on him in his district on the question of submarines. Mr. Loud denied that any influence had been brought to bear on him to vote for submarine boats. He said Mr. Gordon had not threatened him with political opposition; neither had he urged upon him the subject of submarines. Mr. Loud said that when he learned of Mr. Gordon's employment by the Electric Boat Company he had expressed extreme regret that Mr. Gordon had accepted employment with the company. He also denied knowledge of causing a letter or telegram to be written, as referred to by Mr. Edenborough, informing Mr. Gordon of his action in committee in voting for submarines. He said he could find no record of such letter. No one had ever intimated to him, he said, that Mr. Gordon would become a candidate against him, if he did not vote for submarines. Mr. Loud said he had never been influenced by anyone outside of the naval affairs committee.

Robert Woolly, a Washington correspondent, became involved in a controversy with Mr. Lilley as to the accuracy of a statement made by Mr. Woolley on the stand regarding certain interviews he had had with Mr. Lilley. Both gentlemen repeatedly took the stand in contradiction of each others' testimony and Mr. Wooly's remarks became so personal that the committee halted him.

ANTI-TRUST LAW AMENDMENTS

Samuel Gompers is Principal Witness Before the Judiciary Committee.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, April 6.—The statement by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, that organized labor would rather endure the Sherman anti-trust law as applied by the United States Supreme Court in the Hatter's case than submit to registration as proposed by the amendatory bill drafted by the National Civic Federation and introduced in the House by Mr. Hepburn, of Iowa, was one of the features today of a hearing on that bill before a subcommittee of the House Judiciary Committee.

The speakers in addition to Mr. Gompers, were President Seth Low, of the National Civic Federation, Professor J. W. Jenks, of Cornell University, as counsel for the Federation; Daniel Davenport, of Bridgeport, Conn., for the National Anti-Boycott Association, and George F. Monahan of Detroit, counsel for the National Founders Association, an organization of manufactures employing 250,000 men.

Professor Jenks, discussed the bill in its various phases and answered a running fire of questions from members of the committee and interested persons. He made it plain that so far as he and the National Civic Federation are concerned they desire no changes to be made in the Sherman law that would authorize an inter-State boycott, as defined by the anthracite coal commission.

McCREARY HAS LOCKJAW.

Victim of Congressman Heflin's Poor Shot in Serious Condition.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, April 6.—Thomas McCreary, the New York horseman, accidentally shot by Congressman J. Thos. Heflin, of Alabama, a few days ago, is in a serious condition. He was operated on for lockjaw at George Washington University Hospital this afternoon as the only hope of saving his life. McCreary was among the bystanders when Heflin had an altercation with a negro on a Pennsylvania Avenue street car, threw his antagonist off the car and fired at him twice through a window. One of the bullets hit the negro in the neck and the other found lodgment in McCreary's leg.

REVENUE AGENTS ACTIVE.

They Capture Six Moonshiners and Smash Six Stills.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Roanoke, Va., April 6.—A party of United States revenue agents, including L. B. Parkins, S. E. Eddy and W. W. Anderson, together with Deputy Collectors Sifford, Lawson and others, returned here today from a successful raid on illicit distilleries in Floyd, Franklin and Patrick counties. The officers went into the Shooting Creek, Craighead and Batous Spur districts disguised as lumbermen. They succeeded in arresting six alleged illicit distillers, cut up half a dozen stills and as many more incomplete plants, and destroyed 5,000 gallons of beer.

KILLED GIRL HE LOVED

Samuel L. Gardner, Aged 59, Was Jealous of Miss Dorothy Yost, Aged Only 17, and Now Both Are Dead.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Pittsburg, Pa., April 6.—Jealous of a 17-year old girl, Samuel L. Gardiner, aged 59 years, a prominent civil engineer residing at McKees Rocks, a suburb of this city, today shot the young woman, Miss Dorothy Yost, through the heart, causing instant death and then fired a bullet into his mouth, dying three hours later in a hospital without having regained consciousness.

Gardiner, who is a married man with several grown children, lived next door to Mrs. Bradney, the girl's mother. Both Gardiner's and Miss Yost's families are at present and have up to the time of the shooting today, been on the best of terms. Last evening Miss Yost, accompanied by a young man friend, attended services at the Presbyterian church where Miss Yost was a member of the choir. It is said that when Gardiner heard of this he became greatly enraged. He arose in excellent spirits this morning, however, according to Mrs. Gardiner, ate his breakfast and after kissing her left the house and went to a hardware store nearby. Here he purchased a revolver, informing the clerk he was going to "fix some burglars." After leaving the store Gardiner met the young man who escorted Miss Yost to church last night and shaking his fist at him said, "I am going to get even with you." Gardiner made his way past his own home and entered the Bradney residence. Miss Yost was on the second floor and Gardiner went to her. What passed between them there will probably never be known. The next instant a number of persons, including Mrs. Bradney and Mrs. Gardiner were attracted by two shots. Rushing into the house they found Miss Yost dead and Gardiner dying.

Mrs. Gardiner said today that two weeks ago her husband confessed to her that he was infatuated with the young girl. The girl's mother, however, says that Gardiner's infatuation has been of long standing.

Counsel for Evelyn Nesbit Thaw yesterday filed in the Supreme Court at New York the suit for annullment of her marriage with Harry Kendall Thaw. The annullment is asked on the ground that Thaw was insane at the time of the marriage. Papers in the proceedings were served on Thaw several weeks ago. Daniel O'Reilly said that Mrs. Thaw will sail for Europe on Saturday.

Fuses Are Made to Blow Out.

With everybody traveling more or less, usually more, in electrically driven cars and trains, the time has certainly come for general appreciation of the fact that the blowing out of fuses is nothing to excite alarm.

To be startled—to "jump," as the saying is—when this happens is the privilege of all except the professional electricians. The latter are bound by professional pride to show perfect impassibility even when the sudden flash singes their fingers, and it is delightful to see how many of them have attained to this command of their nerves. To jump is one thing, however, while to fall into a senseless panic is quite another.

To blow out is the duty and destiny of fuses, and when they have done it such danger as there was is all over. Nothing worse than delay can follow, unless the passengers proceed to make wild rushes for which there is no need whatever. Travelers should keep these facts carefully in mind.—New York Times.

It Was His Friend.

A little story in German and English, accompanied by an interpreter, drifted into the Indianapolis News office. Here it is: Two Germans stepped into an auction house where a sale of watches was going on. They occupied front seats and soon attracted the attention of the auctioneer. As he dwelt upon the merits of a watch he was offering for sale to the highest bidder the auctioneer turned to the Germans from time to time as the price mounted—$6, $6.50, $7, $7.50. As the auctioneer nodded at one of the Germans there came an answering nod, which he took to be a bid.

"That feller knows me," said one German to the other.

"Yes, sure," said the other.

The nodding kept on. Finally the auctioneer extended the watch to the nodders. "It's yours," he said. "Ten dollars. You're the buyer."

"Ach, nein," said the German. "I'm the Schwob (Suabian); mein freund heir ist der Bayer (Bavarian)."

His Change of Front.

"My view on coeducation," he said firmly, "is that it should be forbidden. It is deleterious to mental development. It leads to"—

"John," said his wife, entering unexpectedly, "are you telling Mr. Smith of the dear old days when we were college classmates?"

"Y-yes," said John.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A prudent haste is wisdom's leisure. —Italian Proverb.

Suffering and Dollars Saved.

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A KIMONA AND FANCY ARTICLE SALE will be held at St. James Parish House tomorrow afternoon by the St. Cecelia Guild from 3:30 till 6:00 P. M. Tea will be served during the afternoon.

STRAYED—One large Berkshire boar, weighs about 250 pounds; long nose. Apply to L. O. Smith, at Eureka Farm. apr 7-1t.

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PARTIES witnessing accident between trolley car and horse and wagon at Front and Walnut streets last Monday evening, March 30th, will please advise J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co. apr 7-3t

NOTICE—The annual meeting of the Wilmington Gun Club will be held at the office of B. G. Empie tonight at 8:30 P. M. All members are urged to be present. J. D. Kelley, Secretary. apr 7-1t

WANTED—Architects to know that "Acme Plaster" is available on every large market in the South and can be supplied promptly at small towns in any quantity, from one of our nearby warehouses. Carolina Portland Cement Company, Sole Distributors, Charleston, S. C. apr 7-1t

TWO LARGE airy rooms on second floor, with board, hot and cold water and other conveniences can be had at 207 South Front street. apr 7-2t

THE PARISH GUILD of St. John's Church will hold its regular Spring sale Wednesday, April 8th, from 3 to 5 P. M. at the residence of Mrs. T. E. Sprunt, 117 Red Cross street. apr 5-2t

THE ANNUAL SALE of neckwear and lingerie by St. Agnes Guild will take place Thursday, April 9th, beginning at 10:30 o'clock in the parish house of St. James. There will be an attractive display and all are invited. apr 5-3t-su-tu1thu

MILK AND CREAM WANTED—Will take entire supply on favorable terms. X. Y. Z., care Star office. apr 5-3t

TRAVELING SALESMAN wanted to sell temperance drink to dealers. Big demand. $40 per week and expenses. Red Cross Vinegar Co., St. Louis, Mo. apt 5-4-su

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash complete moving picture outfit in good location. Apply at once to C. E. Collins, 124 South Front street. apt 5-2t

BOY WANTED—A colored boy about 15 years old may obtain employment by calling at the Star office. apr 15-3t

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER. Notary public. Expert work of any kind, any time, day or night. Corespondence, specifications, depositions, legal work a specialty. Dictation either in shorthand or direct to machine. Meares Harriss, 114 Princess street. Office Phone 708, residence 546. mar 8-tu-thu-su-tf

ORDERS SOLICITED for truck boxes and barrel headings. C. O. Knox, Sixth and Harnett streets. mar 17 tu thu su 1m.

WALPOLE CIGAR & TOBACCO CO. wholesale and retail, 202 Princess street, opposite Carl Rehder's. Best brands cigars in the city. apr 2-1w

FOR SALE—Finest horse in the city, buggy and harness, saddle, etc. A fine buggy horse as well as a saddle horse. Address Morris Distilling Company. apr 2-1w

FOR SALE—Brick plant near Atkinson, N. C.; sidetrack running alongside the kilns. One No. 3 Steele machine, one pug mill, one car, trucks, barrows, 35-horse power engine, 50-horse power boiler, pallets and sheds holding about 125,000 brick, two kilns, 20 acres of clay land, everything in good repair, ready to run. Cheap for cash to a quick buyer. Apply E. P. H. Strunck, Wilmington, N. C. mar 31-1w

AT CANDYCAPPS—Ice cream parlors open for the season. Ice cream delivery in quarts, half gallon and any amount on short notice. Prices to meet the quality. Phone 343. Andrew Mavronichols, 123 Princess street mch 18 tf

GILBERT HOUSE—For good beds, all new, cool rooms, well screened, no mosquitoes during Summer, baths, electric lights; as good meals as market affords. A. M. Gilbert, corner Front and Princess streets, at car junction of street railway, Wilmington, N. C. mar 29 tf

BOARDING—Permanent and Transient. Best location in city. Meals to suit the business men. Strictly up to date. Harnett House, 110 Princess St Hot and cold baths. Phone No. 719. se 22-tf

STATEMENT

HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF CONNECTICUT.

Condition December 31st, 1907, as shown by Statement Filed.

Amount of capital paid up in cash	$ 2,000,000.00
Amount Ledger Assets December 31st previous year	16,395,595.44
Income—From Policy Holders, $14,431,828.26 Miscellaneous, $716,845.19. Total	15,148,673.45
Disbursements—to Policy Holders, $6,891,425.85; Miscellaneous $7,127,254.44; Total	14,018,680.29
Fire Risks—Written or renewed during year, $1,536,889,858.00; in force	1,935,434,728.00
ASSETS.	
Value of Real Estate	1,085,187.75
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	534,000.00
Loans secured by pledge of Bonds, Stocks or other collaterals	101,000.00
Book Value of Bonds and Stocks	12,778,530.20
Cash in Company's Office and cash items	41,483.56
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks not on interest	111,884.12
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks on interest	1,120,309.56
Agents' balances, representing business written subsequent to October 1, 1907	1,776,611.46
Agents' balances, representing business written prior to October 1, 1907	12,878.89
Interest and Rents due and accrued	159,186.58
Gross premiums in Course of Collection Dec. 31, 1907	1,481,095.67
All other assets, detailed in statement	23,550.81
Total	$ 19,225,718.60
Less Assets, not admitted	305,114.76
Total admitted Assets.	$ 18,920,603.84
LIABILITIES.	
Net amount of unpaid losses and claims	$ 1,099,606.91
Unearned Premiums	11,885,769.88
Return Premiums	298,876.50
All other Liabilities as detailed in statement	374,900.10
Total amount of all Liabilities except capital	$ 13,659,153.39
Capital actually paid up in cash	2,000,000.00
Surplus	3,261,450.45
Total Liabilities	$ 18,920,603.84

BUSINESS IN NORTH CAROLINA IN 1907.

Fire Risks written	$ 9,049,051.00
Premiums received	119,532.21
Losses incurred—fire	64,903.08
Paid	68,532.81
Losses now unpaid	4,333.76

President, George L. Chase; Ass't. Secretary, Thos. Turnbull. Home Office, 125 Turnbull street, Hartford. Attorney for service, J. Van B. Metts, Wilmington, N. C. Business Manager for North Carolina, Thomas Egerton, Atlanta, Ga.

State of North Carolina,
Insurance Department,
Raleigh, March 27, 1908.

I, James R. Young, Insurance Commsioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, of Hartford, Conn., filed with this Department, showing the condition of said company on the 31st day of December, 1907.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and date above written.

JAMES R. YOUNG,
Insurance Commissioner.

apr 7-2t.

WHERE IS THE MONEY To Come From

That is to provide the NECESSITIES and COMFORTS of life which old age will call for—if you spend all of your earnings today?

Would it not be wise for you to have a snug amount to your credit with this bank not only for old age but for the immediate future should your income SUDDENLY STOP?

Others have on deposit here $600,000.00 drawing 4 per cent Interest.

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MATT J. HEYER. President.
MILTON CALDER, Cashier.
Southern Bldg. Opp. Postoffice.
apr 5-tf.

BULLETIN NO. 2.

PARTY FARES: EFFECTIVE APRIL 3RD, 1908.

For parties of ten (10) or more traveling together on one ticket two (2) cents per mile per capita; minimum per capita fare fifteen (15) cents. These rates are open to the public and apply between any point on the

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
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Lump Coal for grate, and wood cut any length

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Prompt service and satisfaction guaranteed.

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PROHIBITION ELECTION NOTICE

Pursuant to the general election laws of North Carolina and pursuant to "An act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in North Carolina," ratified on the 31st day of January, 1908, notice is hereby given to the voters of New Hanover County that an election will be held under said act at the various precincts of said County on Tuesday the 26th day of May, 1908.

And the voters of New Hanover County further take notice: (a) that the first, second and third precincts of the First Ward have been consolidated and the said First Ward now constitutes only one voting precinct with the polling place at the Hose Reel House No. 1, 602 North Fourth street; (b) that the first and second precincts of the Fifth Ward have been consolidated into one precinct and the said Fifth Ward now constitutes only one voting precinct with polling place at the Engine House at the corner of Sixth and Castle streets.

The Registrars, Judges of Election, and the Polling places of the respective precincts are now as follows:

First Ward—Fred T. Skipper, Registrar; B. C. Moore and John G. Kuhlken, Poll holders; Polling place, Hose Reel House No. 1, 602 North Fourth street.

Second Ward—W. J. Kirkham, Registrar; Otto Banck and Geo. E. Leftwitch, Poll Holders; Polling place Old Court House.

Third Ward—A. G. Hankins, Registrar; Marsden Bellamy, Jr., and L. B. Sasser, Poll Holders; Polling place Giblen Lodge.

Fourth Ward—E. D. Sloan, Registrar; C. W. Worth and J. W. H. Fuchs, Poll Holders; Polling place Consumers Ice House.

Fifth Ward—J. H. Sykes, Registrar; D. J. Furgus and Woodus Kellum Poll Holders; Polling place Engine House Sixth and Castle.

Cape Fear—John W. Winders, Registrar; Geo. Trask and Sam'l Blossom Poll Holders; Polling place Blossom's Store.

Seventh Mile Post—John A. Everitt, Registrar; Robt. Cannaday and C. H. Alexander, Poll Holders; Polling place, Township House.

Delgado—W. C. Creech, Registrar; Dick Weaver and David Harrell, Poll Holders; Polling place Delgado Barber Shop.

Federal Point—Henry Taylor, Registrar; John Biddle and Robt. Lewis, Poll Holders; Polling place Capps' Store.

Masonboro—W. H. Biddle, Registrar; Horton Freeman and J. P. Montgomery, Poll Holders, Polling place, Township House.

Registration Books will be opened at 9 o'clock A. M. Friday, April 24th and closed at sunset Saturday, May 16th, 1908.

Registration Books will be open at the Polling places from 9 o'clock A. M. to sunset on Saturdays, April 25th, May 2nd, May 9th, and May 16th.

Registration Books will be open for challenges on Saturday, May 23rd from 9 o'clock A. M. to 3 P. M.

Voters may register wherever they can find the Registrar on any day except Sunday between 9 o'clock A. M. and sunset from April 24th to May 16th inclusive.

This April 2nd 1908.

J. O. CARR,
Chairman.
Wm. STRUTHERS, Jr.,
Secretary.
Wm GILCHRIST,
Board of Elections of New Hanover County.
apr 3 20d

500 Cases Salmons

285 Cases Sardines; 1200 Pockets Rice, all grades, bought before advance in price; 300 bags Coffee. Complete and full line of Groceries at rock bottom prices. Samples and quotations furnished on application.

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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect March 22, 1908.

NOTICE.
The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv Wilmington	8:40 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar Rocky Mount	1:35 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	3:30 am
Ar Norfolk	6:05 pm	
Ar Wilson	1:00 m	10:52 pm
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:27 am
Ar Richmond	8:00 pm	6:10 am
Ar Washington	11:50 pm	9:50 am
Ar Baltimore	1:41 am	11:20 am
Ar Philadelphia	4:21 am	1:41 pm
Ar New York	7:23 am	4:13 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 45.
Lv New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar Philadelphia	11:37 am	12:15 am
Ar Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv Norfolk		3:25 am
Lv Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar Weldon	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar Wilson	11:47 pm	1:56 pm
Ar Goldsboro	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar Wilmington	9:30 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:30 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:37 pm	7:30 am
Ar Sav'n	6:50 pm	2:45 am	9:54 am
Ar J'k'ville		8:35 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:15 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:20 am
Lv Jacksonville	9:10 am	7:45 pm
Ar Savannah	1:31 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	6:57 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:34 pm	8:55 am
Ar Wilmington	12:55 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound. Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:20 am	Ar 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	11:45 pm	Ar 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv. 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points east.

Trains No. 55 and 50 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia.

T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.

SEABOARD Air Line Railway.

Schedule effective January 5th, 1908 Subject to change without notice.

Direct and shortest line to the principal Cities, South and Southwest, also connects at Hamlet with Vestibule Trains North.

Tickets for passage for all trains are sold by this Company and accepted by the passenger with the understanding that this Company will not be responsible for failure to run its trains on schedule time or for any such delays as may be incident to their operation. Care is exercised to give correct time of connecting lines but this Company is not responsible for errors or omissions.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington as Follows

No. 44 at 12:35 A. M. from Charlotte, Hamlet and local Stations.

No. 40 arrives 1:30 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh.

Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

	No. 45	No. 39
Lv. Wilm't'n	4:50 A. M.	4:00 P. M.
Ar Lumb't'n	7:26 A. M.	6:55 P. M.
Ar Maxton	8:18 A. M.	7:49 P. M.
Ar Hamlet	9:15 A. M.	8:50 P. M.
Lv Hamlet	9:45 A. M.	10:20 P. M.
Ar Monroe	11:40 A. M.	12:20 A. M.
Ar Ch'lotte	12:35 P. M.	12:35 A. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points north. At Monroe with No. 53 for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth-Norfolk and No. 47 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

For time-tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent or call Phone No. 1294.

J. D. EDWARDS,
Union Ticket Agent.
F. A. FETTER,
Agent.
Phone 86, Wilmington, N. C.
C. H. GATTIS,
Traveling Passenger Agent.
Raleigh, N. C.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Wilson, April 5.—News has been received in Farmville that Mr. Tiberius Whitehurst, a former wagon manufacturer of that town, had committed suicide in Wauchauta, Fla.

—Trenton, April 6.—Dave Bryant, the young negro charged with criminally assaulting a young white girl at Pollocksville, was convicted in court here last week and sentenced to be hanged on May 5th.

—Winston-Salem, April 6.—The North Carolina Grand Council of the Royal Arcanum will meet in this city Wednesday in annual session. Delegates will be present from many parts of the State.

—Charlotte, April 5.—The Mecklenburg branch of the Southern Cotton Association was dissolved at a meeting held in the county courthouse. The association has been practically absorbed by the recently organized Farmers' Union.

—Salisbury, April 5.—The Kincaid Veneering Works, in this city, were burned shortly after midnight Friday night, the fire being of unknown origin. The warehouse officers and waterworks were totally destroyed together with a large stock of goods.

—Tarboro, April 5.—The body of a white man was found in Tar river, two miles from here yesterday afternoon by Captain Parsons. There were no marks of identification. From appearances the body had remained in the water three days and drowning was either accidental or suicide.

—Newton, April 6.—Sheriff D. M. Boyd Friday captured a large steam illicit distillery on a small branch about midway between Conover and Catawba Springs. The owner made his escape, but 2,000 gallons of beer were destroyed while 30 bushels of corn were taken

—Durham, Aril 6.—The O'Briant Building, on Main street, which was condemned a short while ago after a portion of one of the center walls gave way and crumbled considerable, is now being torn down and will be rebuilt and greatly improved

—Greenville, April 5.—News has reached here of the drowning in Tar River of Mr. Jesse Smith. Mr. Smith was a highly esteemed farmer who lived about seven miles west of here in what is known as the Smithtown neighborhood. He was at one time a member of the board of county commissioners of Pitt county.

—Marion, March 5.—Deputy Sheriff S. M. Maney reached Marion Saturday with Frank Rooney, about 50 years of age, who shot and killed Ed Reeves in North Cove township at Camp No. 6 on the South and Western Railroad Thursday. Reeves was a man about 28 years of age.

—Oxford, April 5.—Edward Ballou, oldest son of Mr. W. B. Ballou, was painfully hurt Friday afternoon by breaking his arm. The youthful sports were enjoying athletic feats and, in making a high jump, young Edward caught on his hand and broke his arm below the elbow.

—Greenville, April 5.—Near Farmville yesterday morning a negro attempted criminal assault upon a daughter of Mr. J. R. D. Moore. The negro was soon arrested and placed in the guard house at Farmville to await preliminary trial. He is said to be half witted.

—High Point, April 6.—Mr. M. B. Smith, of this city, will erect a large brick building for manufacturing purposes on Broad street, between the residence and brick building of Mr. D. F. Maddox. The building will be two stories, 50x75 feet. The building already has been leased by the High Point Overall Company for a term of years.

—Durham, April 6.—At a recent meeting of the city aldermen the board made available $20,000 for immediate street work. The street commissioner is now rebuilding Mangum street, which stretches away from the centre of the city to the extreme northern limits. The street is being extended and at the point where it touches the Norfolk and Western Railway the road, some of the property owners and the city will join in building a steel bridge across the railroad.

—Statesville, April 6.—Jesse Jolly, the little orphan negro whose feet were badly frozen some time ago while he was in the care of the Dobson negroes, and who has been in the Billingsley Hospital for treatment for some weeks, will get well. His feet are gradually healing and it is thought that both can be saved. A portion of the heel bone was recently removed from the right foot and while this foot remains in a bad condition, it is thought that the boy can use the left foot within a short time.

—Hickory, April 5.—Work on the construction and installation of the water-power electrical development on the Catawba river near Hickory of Colonel M. E. Thornton, a resident of Hickory, is to be commenced on Tuesday. Messrs. John C. Temple and Eugene A. Sommer, of Philadelphia, are the engineers. The dam is to be of concrete re-enforced with granite and will be pushed to early completion. This will be one of the most important hydro-electric enterprises in North Carolina.

—Winston-Salem, April 5—The Winston-Salem board of trade will meet tomorrow night. The most important matter to come before the body is relative to the fight being made to secure a better freight rate on coal from the Norfolk and Western mines. The taking of evidence for the complaints in the case of the board of trade and the City of Winston against the Norfolk and Western Railway took place in the court house here last Monday before Special Examiner George Brown, but a continuance of the case was granted until the Raleigh case is heard in Washington.

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN

LYDIA E. PINKHAM

No other medicine has been so successful in relieving the suffering of women or received so many genuine testimonials as has **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.**

In every community you will find women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Almost every one you meet has either been benefited by it, or has friends who have.

In the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., any **woman** any day may see the files containing over one million one hundred thousand letters from women seeking health, and here are the letters in which they openly state over their own signatures that they were cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has saved many women from surgical operations.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is made from roots and herbs, without drugs, and is wholesome and harmless.

The reason why Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is so successful is because it contains ingredients which act directly upon the feminine organism, restoring it to a healthy normal condition.

Women who are suffering from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should not lose sight of these facts or doubt the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health.

CIRCUIT COURT OF THE UNITED States, Eastern District of Virginia.

Seaboard Air Line Railway, ... Complainant.

v.

The Continental Trust Company, Trustee ..... Defendant.

IN EQUITY.

Pursuant to the provisions of a decree in the above entitled case dated February 6, 1908, appointing the undersigned Special Master for the purpose set out in said decree, I hereby notify all parties holding any claims or demands against the Seaboard Air Line Railway to present the same before me on or before the first day of May, 1908; and to file the same with me. This notice does not apply to holders of bonds secured by recorded mortgages on the Seaboard Air Line Railway or some part thereof.

And I give further notice that the first hearing on such claims will take place in the City of Richmond, Virginia, in the United States Court Rooms, on the 4th day of May, 1908. (Monday) at twelve noon, at which time a hearing of claims originating in Virginia will be had: which hearing will be adjourned from time to time and place to place, as convenient.

Convenient dates and localities will hereafter be assigned for hearing claims originating outside of Virginia.

All claims required to be filed by this notice will be presented or mailed to me at the law offices of Hughes & Little, Rooms 724-9 Law Building, Norfolk, Virginia.

ROBT. M. HUGHES,
mch 3-1t a wk-6w-tu Special Master.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.

Having qualified in the Superior Court of the County of New Hanover, State of North Carolina as Administrator of the estate of the late Thomas P. Bagley, deceased. Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of the said Thomas P. Bagley to make immediate settlement with us, and all persons having claims against said estate will present them for payment to me on or before the 30th day of March, 1909 or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

March 30th 1908.

THOMAS F. BAGLEY,
Administrator of estate of Thomas P. Bagley.
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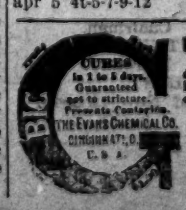
ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

The undersigned will sell at private sale, all the machinery of Nixon & Wirgman in the barrel factory south of Queen street, consisting of the following: 2 heading turners, 1 joiner, 1 planer, 1 shafting and 5 boxes, 2 14-inch pulleys, 2 1-4-inch gandy belts, 50 ft. each, 2 2-inch gandy belts, 30 feet each, 1 3-inch gandy belt, 30 ft. long, 1 rubber belt 40 ft. long, 2 head saws, 1 35-H. P. engine, 3 cords of blocks and some lumber.

This 4th day of April, 1908.

WM. M. BELLAMY,
apr 5 4t-5-7-9-12 Assignee.



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WM. H. BERNARD
Editor and Proprietor.

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THIS WEEK - 2nd FLOOR

Ladies' Tan and Black Drop Stitch Hose 15c	36 inch $1.25 Silks. This Week ... .75c
See our lines of $1.25 Oxfords. Goods.	25c White Madras.....15c yd
New Belts 10c	15c Lionette .....10c yd
New Hand Bags 50c	15c Shambreys .....8c yd
Pillow Cases 10c	The Best50 Shirts out.
Full size Sheets 50c	Boys' Suits $3.00, $4.00 & $5.00.
10 yards of Long Cloth for..85c	Try a Majestic $1.00 Shirt for Men.
40 inch White Lawns.....10c	Men's Panama Hats $3.00, $4.00 and $5.00..

GEO. O. GAYLORD

BIG DEPARTMENT STORE

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apr 5-tf.

FURNITURE

AT COST

FOR CASH

Saturday, March 28th.

We will begin our Annual Clearance Sale. We have more than $10,000 worth of Bright, Fresh New Furniture, Rugs, Mattings, Toilet and Dinner Sets (all put in since our sale last year) which we will sell AT COST FOR CASH, to make room for New Goods. This is a bona fide sale and a money saver. It will pay prospective buyers to provide themselves with goods for the beach. We have a large line of Cots, Cheap Iron Beds, Cheap Toilet Sets, etc. Come early, your best opportunity to save money on Furniture and House Furnishings.

THE WILMINGTON FURNITURE CO.

GARRELL BUILDING. 126 and 128 PRINCESS ST.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA—Department of State.

CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION

To all whom these Presents may Come—GREETING:

Whereas, it appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof, by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that White Lake Tie and Lumber Company, a corporation of this state, whose principal office is situated at No. —— Street, in the city of Wilmington, State of North Carolina (L. L. Whitehead being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of chapter 21, Revisal of 1905, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution.

Now, therefore, I, J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 31st day of March, 1908, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my office, as provided by law.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 31st day of March, A. D. 1908.

J. BRYAN GRIMES,
Secretary of State.

Duly recorded in Book D, page 230, Record of Corporations this 1st day of April, 1908.

JNO. D. TAYLOR,
C. S. C.

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LOW RATES AND MILEAGE BOOKS VIA SEABOARD COMMENCING APRIL 1ST.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, April 6.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market quiet at 45 cents.

ROSIN—Market, nothing doing.

TAR—Market, firm at $1.60.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.25 per barrel for hard, $3.25 for dip and $4.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin nothing doing; tar firm $2.30; crude turpentine $3.50, $5.00, $5.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	29
Rosin	189
Tar	50
Crude Turpentine	34

Receipts—Same day last year, 2 casks spirits turpentine; 180 barrels rosin; 183 barrels tar; 18 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady at 10 1-8 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Steady 10 3-8 cents for middling.

Receipts—72 bales, same day last year 227 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime 60; extra prime 65c; fancy 70c per bushel of 28 lbs; Virginia—No. 1, 66c; fancy 70@75c; Spanish 70@75c.

CORN—Firm, 85c per bushed for white; 82 1-2@85 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, new 13@14c; shoulders 10@11c; sides dull, 10@11c.

EGGS—Dull, 15@16c.

CHICKENS—Dull at 15@30c for large springs; growns, firm, 35@40c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 24c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2 per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 8 to 9c; green 4 to 5c per pound.

PORK—Firm at 5@6c per pound.

TURKEYS—Firm at 15c on foot; 18@20c. dressed.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 75@85c per bushel.

CHEESE—Firm, 60@70c per head.

COW PEAS — 01.90@$2.00 per bushel; white peas, $2.50 to $2.75 per bushel.

WOOL—Firm at 20@21c per pound.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, April 6.—There was a sharp decline in the cotton during today's trading with the close steady, at a net loss of 17 to 19 points. Sales for the day were estimated at 150,000 bales.

The market opened steady at a decline of 9 points in response to lower cables. Rumors that a cotton importing house of Barcelona was in financial trouble and better weather over the belt. There was a slight reaction during the middle of the morning but there was no bull support of consequence, and the market showed a generally declining tendency with May selling back to the low level of the season while July, which had been relatively firm of late, sold within 7 points of the low record. Prices rallied only a point or two at the close, although the tone was steady on covering by shorts. Gloomy reports concerning cotton goods conditions in Germany were among the depressing factors, and reports of further reductions in New England mill wages, aided the decline during the afternoon. The weather was generally favorable in the South, the precipitation of importance being reported while temperatures were seasonable, suggesting favorable progress with new crop preparations. Southern spot markets officially reported were generally unchanged, but a private wire from New Orleans said that spots were easy. Estimates for tomorrow's receipts were heavier, probably reflecting sales of hedged cotton two or three weeks ago, but exports also ran larger.

Receipts at the ports today 13,346 bales against 13,453 last week and 18,457 last year. For the week 100,000 bales against 103,112 last week and 102,644 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 2,546 bales against 2,901 last year and at Houston 5,222 bales against 4,912 last year.

Spot quiet; middling uplands 10.35; middling gulf 10.60; sales none. Futures steady.

Month	Open.	Close.
April	——	9.41
May	9.58	9.51
July	9.68	9.57
August	9.57	9.50
October	9.54	9.46
December	9.55	9.46
January	9.55	9.46
March	——	9.47

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 10 1-2; net receipts 5,260.

New Orleans—Quiet, 10 1-2; net receipts 2,546.

Mobile—Steady, 10 1-4; net receipts 1,453.

Savannah—Steady, 10 1-8; net receipts 2,996.

Charleston—Firm, 10; net receipts 183.

Wilmington—Steady, 10 1-8; net receipts 72.

Norfolk—Dull, 10 1-2; Net receipts 582.

Baltimore—Nominal, 10 5-8.

New York—Quiet, 10.35.

Boston—Quiet, 10.35; net receipts 4.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 10.60; net receipts 250.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 13,346; Great Britain 4,240; France 1,944; Continent 23,880; Stocks 555,115.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 28,216; Great Britain 4,293; France 1,944; Continent 40,495; Japan 852.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 7,469,702; Great Britain 2,578,969; France 752,097; Continent 2,801,502; Japan, 182,448.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Quiet, 10 3-8; net receipts 5,222.

Augusta—Steady, 10 5-8; net receipts 122.

Memphis—Steady, 10 3-4; net receipts 1,848.

St. Louis—Dull, 10 3-4; net receipts 353.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 496.

Louisville—Firm, 11.

Little Rock—Nominal, 10 1-8; net receipts 373.

Total today—Net receipts 8,414; gross receipts 12,458; shipments 15,367; sales 1,621; stocks 275,947.

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LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, April 6.—Cotton: Spot good business done prices 3 points lower. American middling fair, 6.42; good middling, 6.06; middling, 5.80; low middling, 5.46; good ordinary, 5.02; ordinary, 4.52.

The sales of the day were 10,000 bales of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 9,700 American.

Receipts, 10,000 bales, including 400 American. Futures opened quiet and steady and closed quiet and steady. American middling G. O. C.: April 5.35 1-2; April and May 5.33; May and June 5.33; June and July, 5.33; July and August, 5.32; August and September, 5.27; September and October, 5.22; October and November 5.16; November and December, 5.13 1-2; December and January, 5.13; January and February, 5.12 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 6.—The movement in cotton goods was slightly larger for the day but at lower prices. An announcement has been made of the opening of carpets for fall on May 11.

Announcement is also made of an auction sale of carpets, the largest in some years to take place May 4. There is a demand for particular styles of dress goods, such as shadow stripes, piece dyes, etc., coming from all parts of the country but it is for spot deliveries. Raw silk is lower under the influence of accummiated stocks at Yekohoma and dull trade with manufacturers here.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 6.—The announcement of the Erie financial plan which was made after the stock market had closed on Saturday, was without effect today unless the torpid state of the trading was influenced by the announcement. The spasmodic jumps in prices of stocks on Saturday was accepted as in some sort, an expression of opinion on the Erie plan so far as perfected and this added to the disinclination to extend the movement. Operations by three or four traders of the more active class and in a handful of stocks practically made up the whole market.

The price of copper made some recovery in London and the effect was good on the group of copper industrial stocks. Railroad traffic officials expressed some increased confidence in the growth of traffic but they had no actual increase in the movement to report. Advices of winter wheat condition continued favorable with a substantial sustaining effect on prices of stocks. Foreign exchange rates here were practically unchanged and demand for money on time was so slight as to offer opportunity for placing funds.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $1,330,000. United States 2s registered declined 1-8 per cent. on call. Total sales today 293,600 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, April 6.—Money on call easy 1 1-2 to 2 per cent.; ruling rate 1 3-4; closing bid 1 3-4; offered at 2. Time loans dull and steady; sixty days 3 to 3 1-4 per cent; and ninety days 3 1-4 to 3 1-2 per cent; six months 3 3-4 to 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4 1-2 to 5 1-4 per cent, sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8645 to 4.8650 for demand and at 4.8415 to 4.8420 for sixty day bills. Commercial bills 4.83 7-8. Bar silver 55 1-8, Mexican dollars 47.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg	103 5-8
U. S. Refunding 2s cou	104
U. S. 3s reg	100 1-4
U. S. 3s cou	101
U. S. new 4s reg	120 1-2
U. S. new 4s cou	122 1-2

Closing Stock List.

American Tobacco Co. 4s	67
American Tobacco Co. 6s	102 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio	95 3-8
L. & N. Unified 4s	96 1-4
Seaboard Air Line	48
Southern Railway 5s	90 1-2
U. S. Steel	95
Amalgamated Copper	58 5-8
Amr. Car & Foundry Co	32
American Cotton Oil Co	26
American Locomotive	43 3-4
Amr. Smelting & Ref	67 1-2
Amr. Smelting Ref pfd	94
American Sugar Refining	124 1-2
Amr. Tobacco pfd cert	85
Atchison	74 3-8
Atchison pfd	85 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	70 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	83
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	81@85
Chesapeake & Ohio	31
Kansas City Southern	22 3-4
Kansas City Southern pfd	52 3-4
L. & N.	95 1-2@98 1-2
New York Central	97
Norfolk & Western	63 1-4
Norfolk and Western pfd	70@80
Pennsylvania	115 3-4
People's Gas	88 5-8
Reading	104
Reading 2nd pfd	79 1-2
Rock Island Co	14 1-2
Rock Island Co. pfd	26 3-4
Southern Pacific	73
Southern Railway	13 7-8
Southern Railway pfd	37
Tenn., Coal & Iron	——
U. S. Steel	33 1-8
U. S. Steel pfd	97 5-8
Va.-Car. Chemical	19 1-4
Va.-Car. Chemical Co	19 1-2
Seaboard Air Line	——
Seaboard Air Line pfd	——
Standard Oil	530
Western Union	81

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 6.—Flour—Dull and easy.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red, 98 elevator. Options 2 to 2 5-8, net lower. May 99; July 94 3-8.

Corn—Spot steady, No. 2, 75 1-4 elevator. Options 1-2 to 3-4 lower. July 73 7-8.

Oats—Steady; mixed 55

Lard—Firm.

Pork—Steady.

Tallow—Steady.

Rice—Quiet.

Molasses—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw easy; fair refining 3.86; centrifugal 96 test, 3.96; molasses sugar 3.61; refined steady.

Coffee—Quiet Rio No. 7, 6; Santos No. 4, 8 3-8 to 1-2. Mild coffee quiet; Cordova 9 3-4 to 13. Futures net unchanged to 5 points lower.

Butter—Irregular; creamery specials 31; extras 30 1-2; third to first 21 to 29 1-2; held common to special 2 1to 29; state dairy common to choice 20 to 25; process, common to special 16 to 25 1-2.

Cheese—Steady; full cream specials 16; state full cream, small and large, white and colored 9 to 15 3-4; skims 11 to 11 1-2.

Eggs—Irregular; nearby selected white 19 1-2; good to choice 17 to 18 1-2; brown and extra 18; first and extra first 15 to 15 1-2; western and southern first 15 1-4 to 3-4; seconds 14 1-4 to 15.

Cotton Seed Oil was strong and higher on buying by a large refining interest.

Prime crude 34; prime summer yellow 43. Off summer yellow 42 to 42 3-4. Good off summer yellow 42 to 42 3-4. Prime white 45 to 47. Prime winter yellow 45 to 46 1-2.

Freights to Liverpool—Steady; cotton by steam 10c; grain by steam 10 1-4d.

Peanuts—Steady; fancy handpicked 5 1-4 to 5 1-2; other domestic 2 3-4 to 5 1-2.

Potatoes—Steady; Bermuda per barrel 5.50 to 8.00; Virginia and Maryland second crops 1.75 to 3.25; Long Island 2.50 to 2.75; Pennsylvania per bag 2.30 to 2.40; state and western in bulk per 180 pounds 2.37 to 2.62; European per 180 pounds bag 2.20 to 2.40; Jersey per barrel 2.15 to 2.35; Jersey sweets per basket 1.50 to 2.50.

Cabbages—Weak; red, per ton $10 to 18.00 do per barrel 10.00 to 12.00; Danish seed per ton 8.00 to 10.00.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, April 6.—Wheat prices on the local exchange made new low record marks for the crop today because of reported rains in the Southwest. At the close the May delivery showed a net loss of 2 1-8. Corn was down 1-4c Oats were 3-4c lower. Provisions were unchanged to 2 1-2c lower.

Leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—May 90 1-2 to 90 5-8; July 96 3-8 to 96 1-2; Sept. 85 1-4.

Corn—May 66 1-4 to 66 3-8; July 63 7-8 to 64; Sept. 62 7-8.

Oats—May, old 52 1-2; May, new 51 1-4; July, old 45 3-4; July, new 44.

Mess Pork, per bbl.—May 13.31 1-2; July 13.67 1-2; Sept. 14.00.

Lard, per 100 lbs.—May 8.27 1-2; July 8.52 1-2; Sept. 8.67 1-2.

Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—May 7.15; July 7.42 1-2; Sept. 7.67 1-2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, easy. No. 2 spring wheat, 98; No. 3, 93 to 1.04; No. 2 red 90 1-2 to 92 3-4. No. 2 corn, 66 to 66 1-4; No. 2 yellow, 66 1-4 to 66 1-2. No. 2 oats, 51 3-4 to 51 7-8; No. 2 white 53 1-4; No. 3 white, 50 3-4 to 53 1-4. Fair to choice malting, 73 to 78. No. 1 flax seed 1.17. Prime timothy seed 2.25. Short ribs, sides (loose), 6.50 to 7.00. Mess pork, per bbl. 13.12 1-2 to 13.25. Lard, per 100 lbs, 8.20. Short clear sides (boxed) 7.25 to 7.50. Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.35.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, April 6.—Rosin easy; turpentine, easy, 51.

Savannah, April 6.—Turpentine firm 45 to 46; sales 3,077; receipts 559; shipments 670. Rosin, firm; sales 1,144; receipts 1,536; shipments 1,116; stock 55,551. Quote: A B C D E, 3.30; F, 3.40 to 3.45; G, 3.45 to 3.55; H, 3.55; I, 4.05; K, 5.00; M, 5.50; N, 5.65; W G, 5.70; W W, 5.75.

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W. & W. Railroad—1 bale cotton.

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A. & Y. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine; 64 barrels rosin; 3 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—45 bales cotton; 14 casks spirits turpentine; 40 barrels tar.

Str. Alice—6 casks spirits turpentine; 38 barrels rosin.

Str. City of Fayetteville—3 bales cotton; 5 barrels rosin; 17 barrels tar; 18 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Lisbon—5 casks spirits turpentine; 22 barrels rosin; 14 barrels tar.

Total—72 bales cotton; 29 casks spirits turpentine; 189 barrels rosin; 50 barrels tar; 34 barrels crude turpentine.

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Loans and Discounts		$ 353,765.29
Overdrafts		3,268.07
United States Bonds and Premium		258,454.16
First Mortgage Railroad bonds (market value $62,700.00)		60,575.00
Furniture, Fixtures and Safes		6,780.49
Cash and Reserve		
Due from other banks	$500,142.85	
Cash in our Vaults	74,490.25	$ 574,633.10
		$1,757,476.05

LIABILITIES

Capital		$ 200,000.00
Surplus		100,000.00
Undivided Profits, net		24,292.24
Circulation		200,000.00
Deposits.		
Banks	$705,544.76	
United States Government	104,000.00	
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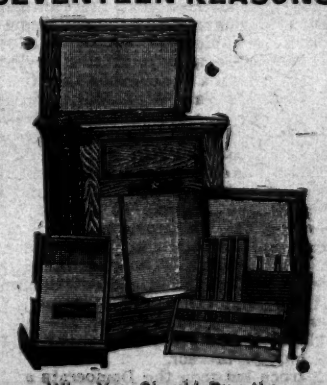

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OVERMAN DENIED PEONAGE CHARGES

North Carolina Senator Makes Statement Regarding Some Newspaper Report.

LIABILITY BILL PASSES

The House With Only Representative Littlefield's Vote Recorded Against It—Several Other Bill Also Passed.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Washington, April 6.—A vigorous denial of a newspaper report that there was peonage in the State of North Carolina was made in the Senate today by Mr. Overman. After reading an article from a local paper concerning the declared purpose of Attorney General Bonaparte to suppress peonage in his State, Mr. Overman asserted that if any law of North Carolina had ever sanctioned peonage it had been pronounced unconstitutional by Supreme Court of the United States. He said there never had been indictments for peonage in his State except against men not citizens of the State who were building railroads and those cases had been dismissed.

"I for one, said Mr. Overman, vehemently, am tired of making appropriations to send out long-haired men and short haired women to spy upon our people and slander them."

The Employers Liability bill as passed by the House was transmitted to the Senate and on motion of Senator Dollivar was laid on the table subject to being called up at any time. Mr. Dolliver explained that the bill is quite similar to the measure reported to the Senate from the committee on education and labor.

Mr. Dolliver contemplates asking the Senate to agree to take up the bill at an early day probably some day this week. He will probably move to substitute the Senate measure for the House bill and after the Senate acts will then leave to the conferees the task of agreeing upon a compromise measure.

The House bill is much more sweeping than the Senate bill, as it applies to all "common carriers" while the Senate bill applies only to "common carriers by railroad."

Senator Perkins today reported the bill making appropriations for fortifications and other works of defense. It carries $11,510,187, an increase of $3,299,576 over the amount of the bill as it was passed by the House.

The Army Appropriation bill as reported carries $98,820,409, a net increase of $14,612,843 over the amount of the bill as it was passed by the House.

Nearly the entire time of the Senate was taken up in the consideration of the army bill, but only minor amendments were offered and these, with one exception, were voted down.

The pay of officers and enlisted men in the army will be materially increased should the clause carrying $7,000,000 for that purpose pass the House when the bill as amended is sent back to that body. The Senate adjourned at 5:25 o'clock.

In the House.

Washington, April 6.—With only one vote recorded against it, that of Mr. Littlefield, of Maine, the House of Representatives today under suspension of the rules, passed the Sterling employers' liability bill, after 40 minutes debate. In brief, the bill establishes the doctrine that the railroad companies engaged in inter-state commerce are liable for personal injuries received by employes in the service of such carriers. It abolishes the strict common law rule of liability which bars a recovery for the personal injury or death of an employe, occasioned by the negligence of a fellow servant. It also relaxes the common law rule which makes contributory negligence a defense to claims for such injuries. A provision, however, diminishes the amount of the recovery in the same degree that the negligence of the injured one contributed to the injury. The bill further makes each party responsible for his own negligence, and requires each to bear the burden thereof.

A truce between the Democrats and Republicans was declared for a time today when under a suspension of the rules the House took up the bill.

Mr. Sterling, Illinois, explained the provisions of the bill and in response to a question by Mr. Crumpacker, Indiana, stated that the bill would be applicable to interurban car lines between States and street railroad lines in the territories and the District of Columbia. Mr. Henry, Texas, said the bill was a meritorious and constitutional one and that not a Democrat vote would be recorded against it.

In the opinion of Mr. Littlefield, Section 3, of the bill relating to actions at law, in cases of contributory negligence is an innovation of existing laws. He delivered a legal argument in support of his contention and declared that the bill is now open to the same objection that was raised against the act declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court of the United States.

Minority Leader Williams said he was glad of "the opportunity to illustrate to the country how quickly and how rapidly we can join in passing remedial legislation."

Continuing Mr. Williams said the Democrats would be glad to be furnished with more like it "and to repeat the illustration as each remedial bill is furnished to the House. It was the first encouragement in some time."

Mr. Payne got the floor and denounced the Democrats, led by Mr. Williams, for delaying by a half an hour the passage of the bill by forcing a roll call on the approval of the journal. "The gentleman from Mississippi," he said, "seems to think he will make the country believe that because every time he says 'I say this to the House and to the country' he can make the country believe that the way to facilitate legislation is by the useless demand for roll calls and delay in performing the functions of the House and passing the supply bills that must be passed." He declared that Mr. Williams had no more to do with the bringing about of the report from the committee or the consideration of the measure than the boys on the street. It has been, he said, the settled purpose of the majority to bring the bill before Congress. Mr. Payne feared the bill would meet the same fate with the Supreme Court as did the former law, but, he said, he would vote for it, nevertheless, as he had voted for the previous bill, "And" he added, "we will go on with the legislation of this country and the majority will decide in their own time and without any let or hindrance from the gentleman from Mississippi, and the voting trust which, it is reported, he organized last Saturday to stop legislation." The Republicans would go on just the same, he said, and write in the statute books just what they desired to write.

On a viva voce vote the bill passed, but in order that members might be recorded the yeas and nays were ordered.

Among the bills passed under suspension of the rules was one appropriating $650,000 for a naval station at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

BASE BALL

(Special Star Telegram.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., April 6.—In the game at Greensboro today The University of North Carolina defeated Virginia in a score of 2 to 1. Virginia scored her lonesome run in the first inning by a base on balls, a single to centre and a wild throw home. Carolina scored in the next inning with a single to center, muff of a fly in deep centre, a steal to second and another fly.

Virginia filled her bases thrice after that but could not get a man over the home plate, so enective was Carolina's work. Hackney saved the game twice by making sensational catches in right field. The Carolinians at all times showed that they were superior to the Virginians. Three hundred Carolinians attended the game and the excitement was so high at times that the police had to keep the crowds back. The line-up was as follows:

Carolina.	Position.	Virginia.
James	3b	Holf
Montgomery	2b	Madox
Hobbs	c	Pearson
Stuart	lf	Brickner
Fountain	ss	Honaker
Hamilton	1b	Bowe
Fullenwider	p	Susong
Cole	cf	Hume
Hackney	rf	Caviness

The Score—	R	H	E
Carolina ..0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 x	2	6	3
Virginia ..1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	4	1

Batteries: Fuhlenweider and Hobbs; Susong, Walker and Pearson. Time 2:30., Umpire Holt.

Summary: Stolen bases, Carolina 5; thrown out, Hobbs, 3. Struckout by Fullenwider, 9; Susong, 3, Walker, 5. Base on balls, Fullenwider. 2 Susong, 1.

Susong was taken out in the fourth inning and Walker substituted but the game continued close all through and Virginia could do nothing with Carolina's lead. The Carolina band was present and discoursed lively music. Chapel Hill is wild tonight and Fullenwider is the hero. Carolina plays Dartmouth here, 10th and 11th.

Dartmouth Defeats A. & M.

Raleigh, N. C., April 6.—Dartmouth College defeated the A. & M. in a pretty game this afternoon, 4 to 2. Dartmouth's pitcher, Glaze, was too much for the A. & M. batters. A. & M. had a fine opportunity in the seventh inning at least to tie the score but lost it. Three men were on bases with one man down. One batter fanned, then Thompson hit a beautiful fly to left field putting the side out.

The Score—	R	H	E
Dart. 1 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0	4	9	3
A. & M. ..0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0	2	6	5

Batteries: Datrmouth, Glaze and Leonard. A. & M., Harris and Thompson. Struck out by Glaze, 12, by Harris, 8. Two bagger by Landell for Dartmouth and by Fox for A. & M. Umpire Temple.

South Atlantic League.

Augusta, April 6—The opening game was strictly a beginner and showed the visitors not to be well in harness yet. Features were lacking.

The Score—	R	H	E
Augusta ..1 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 x	5	6	0
Macon 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	4	5

Batteries: Richardson and Carson; Stowers and Stubbe. Time 1.40. Umpire Goodheart.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 6.—The local season of the South Atlantic League was opened in the new ball park this afternoon. It was a pitching duel throughout, both Lee and Keiber doing excellent work. Lee had the better control.

The Score—	R	H	E
Jack .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 x	1	2	0
Savan. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	2	3

Batteries: Lee and Roth; Keiber and Kahlkoff. Time 1:48. Umpire Langan.

Charleston, April 6.—No game, rain.

Other Games.

At Norfolk: Altoona (Tri-State), 4; Norfolk (Va.), 5.

At Portsmouth: Toronto (Eastern), 5; Portsmouth (Va.), 4.

At Philadelphia: Pennsylvania, 2; Amherst, 1.

At Philadelphia: (American), 5; Philadelphia (National), 0.

At Macon: Mercer, 2; Mississippi A. & M., 1

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NIGHT OF TERROR AFTER ELECTION

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And Fifty Others Were Seriously Wounded by Soldiers—Rioting Was Widespread and Lasted for Three Hours.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Lisbon, April 6.—Seven persons were shot to death and fifty others wounded by soldiers last evening, after the voting in the elections in this city had ended.

The rioting was widespread and such was the confusion during the violent conflict between the populace and the municipal guard, that the guardsmen mistaking infantrymen who had been called out for members of the mob fired a volley into their ranks, seriously wounding three of the soldiers.

The night was one of terror for Lisbon, which seemed suddenly aflame with seething revolt. Bands of men ran widly through the streets, brandishing weapons, while the sharp crack of rifles has heard in various sections of the city. Thousands of the most peaceable citizens fled to their homes just as they did on the night after the assassination of King Carlos and the crown prince.

The principal rioting was the result of a dispute between the Republicans and the Monarchists regarding the counting of votes.

As the voters were following the ancient custom of voting in the churches, they filed steadily but slowly into historic rominque's and deposited their ballots in the official voting boxes. When the polls closed, the Monarchist election electors declared that it was too late to count the votes and proposed to keep the list in the church and count them tomorrow. The Republican tellers refused to assent to this, insisting upon an immediate count, following it by the sealing of the boxes.

The difference between the officials spread to the crowds that filled the church, and, in a moment, blows were struck and then a general fight followed.

Suddenly the municipal guard arrived and cleared the edifice of the struggling combatants at the point of the bayonet.

As they retired they fired a volley from their rifles, bringing down several of the rioters. The mob steadily increased and shouts and imprecations and cries of anger were heard on every side. The rioters armed themselves anew and soon the edifice was literally surrounded and besieged by a maddened mob.

The guardsmen fired intermittently through the doorways, but the volleys were feeble and ineffectual. Eventually the commanding officer placed a detail on the balcony over the main portal, from which point of vantage the guardsmen fired repeatedly into the surging populace, wounding a large number. Still the mob did not give way, but only attacked the church the more furiously. Several of the guardsmen were wounded, but they were replaced on the balcony by others and for three hours the fight continued.

Then three companies of infantry and a troop of cavalry, with one battery appeared, driving all before them.

WANT PAY FOR COAL.

Smokeless Fuel Co., Has Gone to Supreme Court Seeking Relief.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, April 6.—A petition for a writ of mandamus against United States Circuit Judge Pritchard for the Fourth Circuit was presented to the Supreme Court of the United States today in the case of the Smokeless Fuel Company. The company sought in Judge Pritchard's court to intervene in the proceedings in which receivers were appointed for the Seaboard Air Line railroad, but Judge Pritchard refused his permission. The Fuel company presented a bill for fuel against the railroad company and contending that it should be permitted to make an appearance in the case, and that it should have been given a prior lien over other creditors against the net earnings of the road, now seeks through the Supreme Court to compel Judge Pritchard to recognize its reports in the premises. The court took the petition under advisement.

ATTORNEY COWARD WITHDRAWS

Because of a Difference of Opinion With Attorney General.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, April 6.—Because of a difference of opinion with the attorney general as to the terms of the decree which should be entered in the case of Virginia versus West Virginia, involving the public debt of the former, Attorney Holmes Conrad, who represented the creditors of Virgina in the case, today in the Supreme Court of the United States withdraw from the joint presentation of the matter with the Attorney General and Mr. Randolph Harrison was substituted in his place. The disagreement reaches only one point and is not regarded as serious. The argument of the case will be reached at an early date.

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TAFT IN NEBRASKA

Replies to Statement Recently Made By William J. Bryan.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Omaha, Neb., April 6.—Secretary of War William H. Taft tonight rounded out the first day of his trip to Nebraska with a speech at the auditorium where he was the honor guest at a banquet given by the McKinley Club.

The Secretary took occasion to place before the people the issues of the coming campaign as he viewed them, and, incidentally, to reply to the recent utterances of William J. Bryan, when the Democratic leader criticised the action of the McKinley and the Roosevelt administrations for their policy in the Philippine islands.

The Secretary said that Mr. Bryan was not consistent in his utterances because he had been the means, in a large degree, of bringing about the signing of the treaty of Paris, whereby the Philippines came under the control of the United States and he is now criticising the action of the administration because of its efforts to teach the Filipinos the art of self government.

The Secretary also took up and dealt at length with the question of railroad legislation and individual combinations. The Secretary's address was read from manuscript.

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